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THE WEATHER.
BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy, with rain; light east wind. For San Francisco and vicinity: Cloudy, with rain; fresh southeast wind.

Sunrise, 6:42; sunset, 4:44; moon sets, 3:25 a. m. Friday.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 58 deg.; minimum, 50 deg. Wind 5 a.m., northeast; velocity, 10 miles; 5 p. m., northeast; velocity, 12 miles. At midnight the temperature was 53 deg.; raining.

TODAY—At 2 a. m. the temperature was 51 deg.; raining.

Precipitation for twenty-four hours to 5 p. m. yesterday by Weather Bureau rain gauge, .54 inch; season to date, 3.17 inches; to same date last season, 1.19 inches; normal, 2.24 inches; from 5 p. m. to 1 o'clock this morning by The Times rain gauge, .30 inch; season to date, 3.84 inches.

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POINTS OF THE NEWS
IN TODAY'S ISSUE.

The City.

Vast fortune is swept from Col. W. C. Owens, who has given up and gone to Japan for his health, leaving all the "Greene interests" in control of others.

Gigantic strides are made by the Owens River aqueduct and Chief Engineer Mulholland, in plans submitted to the Board of Public Works, will build fifty-eight miles more at a cost of $3,000,000, next year.

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PITTSBURGH CONGRESS.

MINING TAKES GREAT STRIDE.

Mineral Production Gains Sixfold.

Convention Is of the Greatest Importance.

Protection for the Public and Miners.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 2.—What is expected to prove the most important convention ever held by the American Mining Congress met in this city today. While the sessions were of a routine nature considerable interesting work was accomplished. It was clearly shown that within sixty days the congress will take steps to establish a bureau of mines in the Department of the Interior; that a plan will be advanced to protect the public from mining frauds; that renewed efforts will be made to prevent the great sacrifice of human life in coal mines, and that necessary Federal and State legislation will be recommended.

In response to an address of welcome from Lee S. Smith, president of the Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce, J. H. Richards of Idaho, president of the American Mining Congress, and delegates from a score of States made brief addresses.

At a session held tonight, Director George Otis Smith of the United States Geological Survey, spoke on "The Distribution of the Nation's Wealth."

SIXFOLD INCREASE.

Mr. Smith declared that during three decades the mineral production of the nation had increased sixfold, or two billion and sixty-nine million dollars. Continuing, he said:

"In 1880 in the order of value of output, coal stood first, with iron second, followed by gold, silver, petroleum, lime, building stone, copper, lead and salt. In last year's production, after coal and iron came copper, clay products, petroleum, gold, stone, cement, natural gas and lead. In this column, of the most important ten mineral products, coal, iron, petroleum and building stone have maintained their relative positions notwithstanding the sixfold total increase. Copper has advanced from eighth to third place, and gold has dropped from third position to sixth, lead from ninth to tenth, and silver to just behind lead. The newcomers in the 1907 list, as contrasted with that of 1880, are clay products, cement and natural gas.

"No state or section appears to have a monopoly of the mineral industry. While progressive Pennsylvania, with its total mineral products nearly one-third those of the whole country, leads in coal, cement and natural gas by large margins, another State, Minnesota, leads in iron ore, Arizona in copper, Ohio in clay products, Oklahoma in petroleum, Colorado in both gold and silver, and Missouri in both lead and zinc."

ALASKA MINES.

Alfred H. Brooks, chief of the Alaska division of the United States Geological Survey, delivered an address on mining in Alaska. He said in part:

"Three years ago Alaska mines produced $14,500,000. In 1907, the mineral output was nearly $21,000,000. The gold deposits of Alaska are for the most part associated with certain belts of altered sediments. One skirts the southern coast of Alaska and finds its continuation in the Prince William Sound and Kenai Peninsula. A second belt lies in the central portion between the Tanana and Yukon Rivers and within this belt are the most valuable Alaskan placer deposits. A third belt of metamorphic rock occurs in the northern part of Alaska and its continuation is found in the Seward Peninsula. Over 97 per cent. of the value of Alaska's mineral production has come from these three belts of metamorphic rocks.

"The most important centers of placer mining are the Yukon-Tanana region and Seward Peninsula. These two provinces have an annual production of nearly $16,000,000. Some rich deposits are being worked in this district.

"In 1907 Alaska produced upward of 5,000,000 pounds of copper. Haddy, Alaska, is the center of the copper industry.

BIG OUTPUT OF TREADWELL.

"The Treadwell mines, the fourth in size in the world, with its low values, has been an object lesson for the mining world. The output is valued at $25,000,000, and the magnitude of this enterprise, with 900 stamp mills, has obscured the fact that there are other extensive mining operations in the Juneau district.

"The Copper River region has been a focal point of interest because of plans by reaching it by rail from Pacific tidewater. Its ores are sulphides with native copper.

"The Klondike gold fields now produce about $10,000,000 worth of gold annually, and are, of course, in Canadian territory. The Fairbanks district is, from the standpoint of production, the most important of the inland districts, with an annual output of about $2,000,000. Gold gravels lie at a considerable depth varying from 20 to 200 feet.

"The Seward Peninsula since its gold discovery in 1898, has produced $40,000,000 worth of gold. Lode deposits including gold, copper, antimony and galena have been discovered in various proportions on the peninsula. Though the coal fields of Alaska lie only twenty-five miles from the coast, the Pacific seaboard offers no good harbors. Plans are on foot for the construction of breakwaters near Katalla, which it is proposed to connect by railroad with the coal fields. Another plan is to construct a line from Cordova Bay, which means 100 miles of track. The coal of Alaska is higher in fuel value than any other west of the Rocky Mountains."

SMASHES VICTIM'S FALSE TEETH.

COLTON, Dec. 2.—Frank Lewis, alias Frank Von De Kritzinger, once a commandant in the Boer army, he says, is tonight in the City Jail. Officer A. Magill arrested Lewis on a charge of battery upon William Witzenfield, a Canadian Jew, whom Lewis accused of slandering him. Witzenfield was seated in a J-street shop when Lewis pounced upon him without warning, beating him almost beyond recognition and breaking his false teeth into eight parts, two teeth of which were driven into the jaw bone. Lewis has one very peculiar eye, which he claims is a rabbit eye grafted into his own. Interesting developments are expected when Lewis is tried.

Anti-noise advocates scored the most important point in their campaign against unnecessary noises in New York when the Board of Aldermen Tuesday, unanimously passed an ordinance prohibiting the movement of surface or elevated lines of cars in such bad repair that unnecessary noise is created by their operation.

WIDOW OF MILLIONAIRE SUES FOR PORTUNE.

Mrs. Yerkes-Mizner,

who has begun active work in preparation of suit to break will of her first husband.

MILLIONS INVOLVED.

YERKES'S WIDOW WILL TRY TO BREAK WILL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Mary Adelaide Yerkes-Mizner, the widow of Charles T. Yerkes, Chicago's one-time traction king, is making active plans to break the will disposing of an estate of $15,000,000, under which she was allotted $200,000 and the use of one-half of what remained after numerous bequests were made and claims against the estate were settled. She has finally made up her mind, it is said, to claim her dower right, which would entitle her to a life interest in one-third of the real estate and one-third of the personal property of her late husband.

Mrs. Yerkes's determination to upset the will was made known today by Louis S. Owsley, the sole remaining executor of three appointed by the testator's will.

"The difficulty in disposing of the estate," said Mr. Owsley, "grows out of the fact that Mrs. Yerkes is planning to demand her dower instead of accepting what the will allows her. There is a great question at law that will have to be decided in the courts—whether her doing so will make the rest of the will nugatory."

The will is filed in the Probate Court of Cook county. It divides the estate into four parts after making numerous bequests and leaves one-fourth to each of the children, Charles E. Yerkes of Chicago and Mrs. Bessie L. Rondinella of Philadelphia, and the remaining two parts to Mrs. Yerkes during her life.

Attorney Clarence A. Knight, who represented Charles T. Yerkes during his lifetime and has been counselor for his widow, was plainly disturbed by the prospective publication of the plans for a contest of the will.

"This is something that I cannot discuss," he said. "It is a matter I do not think ought to be taken up in the newspapers."

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Chicago, shivering in the coldest wave of the season, was still one of the warmest places on the weather map today. The lowest temperature in Chicago was 12 deg. above zero at 5 o'clock. At the same time St. Paul "enjoyed" a frigid wave that sent the mercury tumbling several degrees below zero. In Winnipeg they stopped taking readings after the temperature dropped under 22 deg. below zero. Tomorrow probably will bring more sunshine and a gradual breaking up of the cold wave. Today's maximum temperature was 26 and the minimum 12 deg. Middle West temperatures, the dash indicating below zero:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	16	10
Bismarck	18	-10
Cairo	30	20
Cheyenne	42	2
Cincinnati	28	16
Cleveland	22	20
Concordia	26	14
Davenport	26	8
Denver	44	4
Des Moines	26	6
Detroit	22	14
Devil's Lake	16	8
Dodge City	32	18
Dubuque	26	6
Duluth	14	-4
Escanaba	16	2
Grand Rapids	22	14
Green Bay	20	4
Helena	14	0
Huron	24	-2
Indianapolis	26	12
Kansas City	30	14
Marquette	14	2
Memphis	36	26
Milwaukee	22	8
Omaha	30	10
St. Louis	26	14
St. Paul	24	4
Sault Ste. Marie	18	6

TO REHABILITATE CATHEDRAL.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—The Episcopal Cathedral of Saint Peter and Saint Paul at Washington boulevard and Peoria street, established by Bishop Whitehouse, second bishop of Illinois, is to be rehabilitated by the sons of its founder, Fitzhugh Whitehouse of London and Paris, and F. Meredyth Whitehouse. The cathedral was founded in 1862 and is of particular historical interest because it was the first parish church in America to have a vested boys' choir. The design is to make the cathedral a memorial to Bishop Whitehouse.

MORE FISH TROUBLES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CLEVELAND (O.) Dec. 2.—A receivership for the Globe Packing Company, a big fish concern, and an accounting of the books was asked yesterday in a suit filed by William L. Chalmers and Charles S. Mischler, receivers of A. Booth & Co. J. R. Nutt was appointed receiver. The plaintiffs state that the company owes A. Booth &Co. $35,000 on a note now overdue. In all, the petition states, the liabilities are $50,000 more than the assets.

STOKERS AS NAVAL RESERVES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Plans for increasing the fighting strength of the United States navy by 20,000 peaceful but expert citizens will be broached for the first time by naval officers before the annual convention of the National Commercial Gas Association at the Coliseum next week. The proposed addition is to be in the form of a naval reserve made up, not of young men from stores and farms, but of gas plant stokers, accustomed to arduous work in high temperatures and able to endure heat.

COLLEGE FOR POLES.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Application for a charter for the Polish Educational Institute was filed with the Secretary of State at Springfield yesterday as the initial step toward the creation of the largest and most important center of instruction in the United States, devoted to the teaching of the young of Polish extraction or birth. Eventually lecture halls, gymnasiums and auditoriums for educational purposes to accommodate more than 2000 pupils will be constructed in Chicago at a cost of $500,000. This Polish-American college expects to draw its support from the 3,000,000 Poles in the United States.

ASHES CAST TO WIND.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—In accordance with an oft-expressed desire, the body of Miss Emma Renshaw, Chicago's oldest practicing nurse, who died suddenly from pneumonia, Monday, will be cremated today and her ashes cast to the winds on the lake. She was one of the city's unique figures, and though she had enjoyed a clientele among the well known families ever since she came here from New Orleans, during the Civil War, little is known of her ancestry. She had no relatives, she said. Miss Renshaw was found dead in a closet of her room.

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POSTOFFICE SAFE BLOWN BY BANDITS.

Robbers Ransack Station A on East Side and Escape With Booty—Men Seen at Work and Suspects Are Arrested.

ROBBERS blew open the safe in postoffice Station A, at Downey avenue and Daly street, at an early hour this morning and escaped with their plunder, in spite of an alarm given the police while they were still at work. The bandits overlooked several packages of registered mail, two $2 bills and spilled some change about the floor. Just how much in money and stamps they secured was not known by the police, and the postmaster in charge had not been informed of the robbery.

It was shortly after 1 o'clock this morning that Lawrence Jones and Mrs. L. N. Bocker, who are employed by the Bradford Baking Company at No. 119 North Daly street, heard the explosion when the robbers blew open the safe, and running over to the postoffice looked through the window in time to see two men run through the room and escape by the back door and through the alley in the rear.

Jones at once called up the East Side Police Station and notified Sergeant Adams, who, with Patrolman Vignes, made a fast run to the postoffice. The robbers had disappeared, but shortly after 2 o'clock Patrolman Vignes arrested two suspects, a tall man, who answers the description of one of the robbers, and a short man. They gave the names of G. Albertson and T. N. Kelcy and stated that they had just arrived from San Francisco on a freight train. No plunder was found in their possession.

Investigation shows that the robbers picked the lock of the front door and knocked the combination of the safe off and poured in nitro-glycerine and blew open the door. The robbers made a thorough search of the office, breaking open drawers and ransacking the place. They escaped by the rear door when discovered by Jones and Mrs. Becker.

The postmaster in charge of the station is George Martin of Mosart street, but the police were unable to get into communication with him at the time.

NOTHING IN IT.

ABSURD, IS HARRIMAN REPLY AS TO CENTRAL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Sun says: The report that E. H. Harriman is to be made chairman of the New York Central board of directors received serious attention nowhere in the financial district except from President Newman of the New York Central.

Mr. Newman took the pains to deny the report. Never, before he saw it printed, he said, had he heard of any such development.

"If true, it is news to me," he remarked dryly.

Mr. Harriman was inclined to be put out when a bit of his time was asked for response to a question regarding the rumor, and only appeared because several reporters requested an answer at the same time.

"You men should use common sense in interrupting me in my business hours," he said. "You ought to know that this is absurd, just as you know I am always ready to talk on any reasonable proposition, and not ask foolish questions."

J. P. Morgan & Co. is the fiscal agent of the Harriman lines. Members of the company declared themselves ignorant of any plan to make Mr. Harriman chairman of the New York Central board, and in banking houses affiliated with the Morgan house wonder was expressed that the report could have secured circulation.

The Union Pacific system, in the course of its extensive stock purchases in the fall of 1896, acquired $14,000,000 out of the $178,000,000 outstanding stock of New York Central. It is not believed that the company's interest is as great at present, for the company is continually shifting its so-called investment purchases, but in any event the stock interest is not sufficient to shake W. K. Vanderbilt's position, and it has never appeared that the Union Pacific party had any such desire.

Again, it is well known that the purchase of Central stock was in no way intended as a movement to secure control of the road, and it is presumed that the stock was purchased from certain Union Pacific directors who at the same time and in the same way disposed of Illinois Central and other stocks.

Whether or not the Union Pacific purchased the New York Central stock from Union Pacific directors was one of the questions Mr. Harriman and Otto H. Kahn refused to answer when it was propounded in the Interstate Commerce investigation. The Interstate Commerce Commission has now before the United States Supreme Court a proceeding to force an answer.

Mr. Harriman and J. P. Morgan have come to an understanding on railroad matters since the panic. They are cooperating in the rehabilitation of the Erie and are working together in other ways. It can be stated authoritatively that official entrance to the New York Central on Mr. Harriman's part does not come within the scope of the understanding, nor, as far as any indication from Mr. Harriman goes, does he desire or consider advisable, in view of the pending suit against his system, any such development.

The Harriman lawyers and bankers have long been working on a plan for the segregation of the Union Pacific's investment stock purchasers from the actual control of the company. The plan is to form a holding company and turn over to it the Union Pacific's holdings of New York Central, St. Paul, Baltimore & Ohio, Santa Fé and other stocks of roads not component parts of the Union Pacific system.

Development of the scheme is progressing favorably and its completion will remove what the financial community believes to be the sole foundation of the Harriman-New York Central yarn, that is, the Union Pacific's relatively small interest in New York Central stock.

STANDARD OIL CASE.

ARCHBOLD EXPLAINS TRUST LIQUIDATION.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The processes through which the Standard Oil trust was liquidated and its thirty subsidiary companies brought under control of the present Standard Oil Company of New Jersey were developed in interesting detail today by John D. Archbold, under cross-examination in the Federal suit to dissolve the Standard Oil Company.

Mr. Archbold declared that the trust had been liquidated in the years from 1892 to 1899, with all good faith to obey the mandates of the Ohio Supreme Court, ordering the trust dissolved. There was no ulterior motive in the fact that about 51 per cent. of the trust certificates were liquidated into the stocks of the subsidiary companies, said Mr. Archbold. Small holders declined to liquidate, preferring to retain their certificates which had a market value, rather than to obtain infinitesimally small parts in the minor companies.

Mr. Archbold made it plain, under a series of questions from government counsel, that the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey had been selected as the holding company because the laws of New Jersey were reasonable in their treatment of corporations. All the holders of trust certificates, after obtaining their pro-rata shares in the subsidiary companies turned them into the New Jersey company and received their proportionate amount of stock. The Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, the present holding company, is the combination which the government is seeking to dissolve.

During the day, Mr. Kellogg for the government, succeeded in throwing light on the loans made to T. M. Barnsdale of Pittsburgh, the independent oil producer.

BARNSDALE LOANS.

Mr. Archbold testified that loans aggregating $7,500,000 had been made to Mr. Barnsdale to enable him to continue his oil operations in various parts of the country.

A part of the contract was that all the crude oil produced by Mr. Barnsdale should be carried in the Standard's pipe lines.

During the day, Mr. Archbold testified that former Congressman Joseph C. Sibley of Pennsylvania was identified with the Galena Signal Oil Company, a subsidiary of the Standard.

Mr. Kellogg called the attention of the witness to evidence given several years ago by H. H. Rogers that in 1879 the Standard and its affiliated interests produced 90 to 95 per cent. of the refined oil manufactured.

"If you had that amount of production, do you still say, as stated by you yesterday, that you acquired the plants on the seaboard to increase your volume of business?"

"I cannot say what percentage of business we were doing."

Mr. Kellogg was seeking to show that in reality the Standard did not purchase certain seaboard refineries to increase the Standard's business, but to destroy competition. The government prosecutor plied the witness with many questions to develop this contention.

Mr. Archbold said that J. C. Sibley organized the Signal Oil Company of Franklin, Pa., and Gen. Charles Miller developed the Galena Oil Company.

Later the Standard bought into both companies and combined them as the Galena Signal Oil Company, which continued under the direction of Mr. Sibley and Gen. Miller, both of whom held minority interests in the company.

Mr. Archbold said that in 1881 he had acquired control of the Empire Refining Company and held the stock for the benefit of the Standard's stockholders.

The stockholders of Swarthmore College at the annual meeting in Philadelphia, Tuesday, by a unanimous vote, abolished a rule which practically made the school a Friends institution. By this step the college, which has held a high place among schools controlled by Friends, becomes non-sectarian.

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Taft, 214,398; Bryan, 127,492; Hisgen, 4278; Debs, 28,659; Chafin, 11,770.

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First District—Englebright, (Rep.) 20,624; Holland, (Dem.) 14,031; Cunningham, (Soc.) 2386; Fassel, (Pro.) 546.

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ERRATIC EPISODE.

KIDNAPED BY HER HUSBAND.

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Mrs. R. M. Faulkner, Who Went for Walk With Man from Whom She Had Separated, Telephones Father That She Is Prisoner—Escapes and Is Pursued.

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Faulkner and his wife separated several months ago. One night last week he called at his wife's father's home and demanded to see her. She refused, but afterwards consented, and the two went out for a walk. They did not return, and the next day the girl's father received a telephone message from her that Faulkner was holding her captive.

Faulkner surprised his wife at the telephone and interrupted the conversation, but not before she had promised to meet her father at a certain street corner. Faulkner allowed her to go out, but followed. When she met her father and brother, he fled. Later he appeared at the house of his wife's father with two revolvers and demanded his wife, but she had gone to a neighbor's.

Since then he has sent threatening messages. Faulkner said today his real name is Rolla Hargis and that he is a member of the Kentucky Hargis family of feud fame.

TELLS OF RUEF CASH.

Subtreasury Cashier Placed on the Stand—Boss Rented Deposit Box for Schmitz.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Thomas Burns, cashier of the subtreasury, was the first witness called to testify in the trial of Abraham Ruef this morning.

He was questioned at length by counsel for Ruef in regard to the money paid out by him in the subtreasury for the alleged bribing of the former Supervisors.

A number of pieces of currency were offered in evidence and identified by Burns as being of the denomination handled by him. Burns was excused by both sides at 10:15 o'clock a.m., and recess ordered.

James C. Sharp, custodian of the safe deposit vaults at the Western National Bank, testified that Ruef, on three different occasions, had rented a box in the name of, and on account of former Mayor Schmitz. These boxes, according to the witness, were rented on April 24, 28, and May 25, 1906.

The prosecution, through the testimony of previous witnesses, had affirmed that one of the payments made to Tirey L. Ford on the order of Patrick Calhoun, was made on May 24, 1906.

George Francis, secretary to Tirey L. Ford, recalled that upon one occasion Ruef called on Ford at the offices of the United Railroads, but could not remember that the defendant carried a shirt box, or any other package.

Upon cross-examination, it developed that Francis was secretary to the legislative branch of the committee of fifty, and that Ruef and Ford, both members, had frequent reasons for consultation.

Schmitz Bondsmen not Ready.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—The attorneys for former Mayor Eugene E. Schmitz, who was cited to appear before Superior Judge Dunne after William J. Dingee, one of Schmitz's bondsmen, had become embarrassed by financial troubles, were not ready to furnish a substitute today and the matter was continued, with the consent of the court, for another week.

EMBEZZLER SURRENDERS.

SOLDIER WANTED IN EAST.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

MONTEREY, Dec. 2.—Bernard Bunje, passing under the assumed name of Robinson, a private in Co. F, Eighth United States Infantry, voluntarily surrendered himself to Policeman Sullivan last night, asking that he be taken in custody for embezzling $1000 while acting as book-keeper and collector for William Evarts & Son, wholesale butchers of Jersey City, N. J. After his theft he said he won money on the races, gaining $15,000, with which he fled to Montreal, living there in luxury until he had dissipated it all. He came West then and enlisted in the Second Infantry at Stockton, on November 2, 1906. Coming with that regiment to Monterey he was made corporal, but subsequently was stripped of his stripes for misconduct. Later he was transferred to the Eighth Infantry. Trouble with a woman and constant fear of detection and fits of remorse impelled him to give himself up to justice.

TO LAUNCH BIG COLLIER.

EVENT ON BAY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

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CRUISERS END PRACTICE.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 2.—A wireless message from Magdalena Bay announces that the armored cruisers of the Pacific fleet have all left for Central American waters. One division is on the way to Amapala and the other to La Union. The last of the torpedo craft left yesterday for San Diego, and the cruiser Albany left today for this port.

DIED OF BROKEN HEART.

Aged Husband Follows Wife in Death by Interval of but One Day.

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PLOW TURNS UP SKELETONS.

CORONER INVESTIGATING.

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SLOPE BRIEFS.

Testing Submarines.

VALLEJO, Dec. 2.—The submarine boat Pike, which has just been overhauled and repaired at the Mare Island navy yard, the work costing $20,000, was put through a series of tests yesterday. The boat was submerged several times, on one occasion staying under water for twenty minutes. The submarine Grampus which has also been refitted, will be tested next week.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

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WASHINGTON.

WOULD BETTER BANKING LAWS.

High Treasury Officials Point Out Defects.

National Monetary Commission Gives Hearing.

Any General Statute Changes not Contemplated.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Defects in methods of bank examination and the inability of the Comptroller of the Currency to deal with infractions of the banking laws without resorting to such harsh punishment as the closing of the offending national institutions were pointed out to the National Monetary Commission today by high officials of the Treasury Department.

Any general revision of the national banking laws is not contemplated in the present hearings, all of which are executive. Such changes as will be recommended in all probability will be confined to amendments which can be made without friction between bankers and officials charged with the enforcement of the national banking laws.

It is not intended to provide for any general revision of the laws in advance of the full report of the commission, which will not be made until the first regular session of the Sixty-first Congress.

At the hearing today statements were made by Secretary Cortelyou and L. A. Coolidge, Assistant Secretary of the Treasury, but most of the day was occupied by Lawrence O. Murray, Comptroller of the Currency, and Thomas P. Kane, Deputy Controller of the Currency. They explained in detail the amendments they think should be made to the banking laws.

When the bankers have given their views it is not doubted that it will be possible to draft a bill along such lines as will meet the principal needs.

NAVAL CRITICS ANSWERED.

ONLY MINOR PLANS CHANGED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—The annual report of W. L. Capps, chief constructor of the navy, is very largely devoted to a review of the controversy over the plans of the battleships North Dakota and Delaware.

Admiral Capps disposes of various phases of criticisms that have been made of the plans by declaring the recommendations for changes made by the Newport conference related only to minor details, over which there naturally would be differences of opinion.

Estimates for the construction and repair of vessels at navy yards and at foreign stations amounts to $8,940,713, an increase of $540,713 over the appropriations for the current fiscal year.

The amount estimated for construction and machinery of new vessels authorized by Congress is $14,540,790, the amount appropriated for the current fiscal year being $14,540,790.

For continuing work on submarine torpedo boats, the construction and limit of cost of which already have been authorized by Congress, an estimate is made of $1,800,000, the amount appropriated for the current year being $1,000,000; and for work on the two fleet colliers heretofore authorized, the estimate is $2,100,000, the appropriation for the current fiscal year being $1,500,000.

Admiral Capps referred to the lack of adequate working facilities at many of the navy yards for ships under repair and says this condition continues to embarrass the bureau and prevents prompt and economical performance of work.

A strong recommendation is made in favor of limiting the extent to which old vessels are modernized. He says he believes it would be more advantageous to expend money in the construction of vessels of the latest design.

POOR PROSPECTS FOR OIL.

Government Reports Indicate That Nevada Has Little Petroleum Among Resources.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—"Alleged oil prospects in Nevada" is the title of a preliminary report issued today by the United States Geological Survey, and which effectually disposes of claims made in certain quarters that the sections investigated abounded in petroleum veins. The examinations were made by Robert Anderson, one of the bureau's geologists who spent some time in the field west of Reno, in the region north of the bend of the Walker River, east of Wabuska, in Smith Valley, north of Wellington, and in a small area south of Palisade in the northeastern portion of the State.

Concerning the area around Reno, Mr. Anderson says:

"If petroleum were present it would with little question have to be considered as originated in the Truckee beds, and there if anywhere it would be stored. The examination of these beds has resulted in the conclusion that no paying quantities of petroleum, if any at all, will be found in them."

Of the section east of Wabuska he says:

"The chance of finding oil in this vicinity must be considered very slight, for the reason that there is no evidence of the presence of any strata that might be looked upon as probable oil producers."

Practically the same conclusions are reached with respect to the regions of Smith Valley and south of Palisade.

WOOL GROWERS PROTEST.

WANT TARIFF MAINTAINED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—During consideration of the tariff on wool, woolen manufactures and carpets, which was begun by the House Ways and Means Committee at today's hearing, Gen. Charles H. Grosvenor, former Congressman from Ohio, appeared for the wool growers of Ohio.

"You can't reduce the duty on wool as it stands without destroying the industry," he told the committee. "The industry is now fairly profitable."

Gen. Grosvenor said that under the low rate of duty on wool imposed by the Wilson bill, the number of sheep raised in one county in Ohio decreased from 153,000 to 42,000 within four years.

Representative Clark of Missouri secured the admission from Gen. Grosvenor that this reduction was, in part, due to the increased value of land in Ohio.

The sheep breeders of New York were represented by E. K. Dana of Avon, N. Y. He claimed that the present tariff on wool was the lowest under which the sheep industry could survive.

And Nold Moore, a wool grower of West Virginia, and P. G. Johnson, representing the Idaho wool growers, spoke against a reduction in the tariff. William Whitman of Boston, representing the National Wool Manufacturers and the American Association of Woolen and Worsted Manufacturers, spoke against any tariff agitation as being more harmful in its effects than has been compensated for by any changes the woolen industry may desire.

"Do you believe more than 100 per cent. duty is necessary to protect any manufacturer of woolens?" asked Mr. Crumpacker.

Mr. Whitman again expostulated that the reduction in duties were disastrous to the woolen trade.

Mr. Clark interrogated Mr. Whitman as to the part he played in the framing of the Wilson and Dingley tariff bills, securing the admission that Mr. Whitman had been very active in suggesting the wording of various paragraphs.

WASHINGTON CELEBRATES.

IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Solemn and impressive services, attended by dignitaries of church and state, were held today, commemorative of the sixtieth anniversary of Emperor Francis Joseph's ascension to the throne as ruler of Austria-Hungary.

The distinguished assemblage in St. Patrick's Cathedral formed a striking picture. President Roosevelt, Vice-President Fairbanks, members of the United States Supreme Court, members of the Cabinet, members of Congress, and the members of the diplomatic corps were present, the last-named being attired in their court costumes and uniforms.

His Eminence, Cardinal Gibbons, and Archbishop Falconio assisted in the high mass, which was celebrated by Mgr. Bonaventura Cerretti, deacon Rev. Charles M. Bart and sub-deacon Rev. J. D. Marr.

Rev. Dr. W. T. Russell, rector of St. Patrick's, read the sermon.

For the occasion the edifice was beautifully decorated with flowers and ferns and the national flags of the United States and Austria-Hungary.

Sixty years ago today Emperor Francis Joseph ascended the throne, and with the exception of Queen Victoria, his reign has been the longest of any monarch in Europe.

STUDENTS MARCH ON PRAGUE.

Reinforcements Leave Breslau to Go to Aid of Fellows Who Are Fighting Czechs.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

BRESLAU (Germany) Dec. 2.—Thirty-eight students representing various university societies, left here today for Prague to assist the German students of that city in their fight against the Czechs. The rector of the university appeared at the railway station just before the departure of the young men and forbade the trip. The students, however, started for Prague in spite of the ministerial injunction.

MARTIAL LAW IN PRAGUE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PRAGUE (Austria) Dec. 2.—Martial law was proclaimed in this city today. This action on the part of the government served only to exasperate the Czech students of Prague, and they forthwith started rioting.

There was a sanguinary conflict between them and police and gendarmes at Wertenburg, a suburb of Prague.

It had been hoped that it would not be necessary to mar the jubilee of the anniversary of Emperor Francis Joseph's accession to the throne by any such drastic steps, but the continued rioting between the Czechs and the Germans of Prague forced the government to issue the proclamation.

WOOED TOO ARDENTLY.

Toledo Man Enjoined from Making Love to Fair Widow.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TOLEDO (O.) Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A believer in the maxim that faint heart never won fair lady, William C. Ragan made love to Mrs. Elsie Smith, a widow, so persistently that this afternoon Judge Brough granted a temporary injunction asked for by Mrs. Smith, which enjoins Ragan from lavishing upon her his unwelcome affections. Mrs. Smith asks that after a hearing the court forever enjoin Ragan from courting her.

CONSERVATION.

SHOWS DANGER IN SITUATION.

Forester Says Top Notch in Lumber Is Reached.

From Now on Decreased Production Looked for.

Interesting Figures Given Before Commission.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—That the top notch of production of lumber in the United States was reached during the last year and that from now on the annual production would either remain the same as last year or would show a decrease, was the startling announcement made today before the National Conservation Commission by Overton Price, associate forester in the United States Forest Service.

He also said that the annual cut of timber last year would cover a piece of land 1000 acres in area and would make a pile as high as the Washington monument.

"It has been estimated," continued Mr. Price, "that our industries subsisting wholly or mainly upon wood pay the wages of more than one and one-half million persons; that the original forests covered one-half of the United States, and existing forests cover one-fourth; that only one-fifth of all our standing timber is publicly owned, and that only 70 per cent. of our public forests and less than 1 per cent. of our private forests are conserved by us.

"The average growth in all our forests is about twelve cubic feet per acre, or a total of seven billion cubic feet. But we take twenty-three billion cubic feet each year, or over three times what the forests produce."

The land section of the commission will hold its session tomorrow. The names of two new commissioners were announced this afternoon—ex-Gov. George C. Pardee of California and Dr. Charles R. Van Hise of the University of Wisconsin.

ORPHAN INHERITS MINE.

Chicago Girl, by Death of Grandfather, Gets Rich Silver Property in New Mexico.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Through the death of her grandfather, L. J. Turney, of Albuquerque, N. M., Miss Mamie Turney, a society girl of Evanston, is now the owner of a rich silver mine in New Mexico. Miss Turney is an orphan. Since her parents died, eight years ago, she has been living at the home of Thomas P. Smith of Evanston. Miss Turney today received the legal documents which make her the owner of one of the richest mineral properties in the Southwest.

Accompanied by five boy friends, members of wealthy Evanston families, Miss Turney will depart for New Mexico tomorrow night, after a farewell dinner at the Young Women's Home. The boys who will assist Miss Turney in developing her mine are J. B. McCauley, R. G. Stockbridge, Nicholas Westreicher, James Foley and Frank Krans.

Miss Turney's father was interested in mines, as was her grandfather.

FRANCIS JOSEPH HONORED.

Diamond Jubilee of Accession to the Throne of Austria Celebrated in Vienna.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

VIENNA, Dec. 2.—The dual empire celebrated today the diamond jubilee of the accession of Francis Joseph to the throne. His Majesty became Emperor of Austria and King of Hungary December 2, 1848, on the abdication of his uncle, Ferdinand I.

Masses and special services in the Cathedral and churches of Vienna marked the beginning of the period of the festivities. His Majesty attended the service in the Hofburg chapel. He drove to the palace through the streets in an open carriage, accompanied by the members of the imperial household.

He was greeted everywhere, with cheers from the people who crowded the streets coming from all parts of the empire to be present at the ceremonies.

KOW-TOW.

BABY TODDLES TO THRONE; CROWNED.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

PEKING, Dec. 2.—The ceremony of enthronement of the Emperor today was one of striking interest. It included obeisance to the tablets of the dead Emperor and Empress Dowager and prostrations before the infant Emperor, the 3-year-old son of Prince Chun, who formally took the throne.

The imperial proclamation for the function was arranged at the palace yesterday. It ordered that music for the occasion be prepared, but that not a single note be played; this because of the mourning of the court for their late Majesties.

Troops entered the eastern gate of the palace at 4 o'clock this morning. They took up their respective positions inside, and the high officials of the empire began to arrive. At 10 o'clock not less than 350 carriages, together with a vast number of Sedan chairs, resplendent and brilliant in the winter sunshine, were waiting outside the palace for the ceremonies to come to an end.

The function began by the princes of the imperial family and the high officials of the empire kow-towing to the memorial tablets of their late Majesties. After this they all kow-towed in turn to Pu Yi. Pu Yi then offered a sacrifice before the tablets of the Emperor and the Dowager Empress. After this he was relieved of his dress of mourning and clad in a diminutive imperial garment embroidered with the imperial dragon. His nurses performed this duty with great attention and care. Thus arrayed, the toddling Emperor ascended the throne amid a fanfare of drums, bells and fire-crackers.

He made his way alone and showed no need of assistance that willing hands would have given him had his little feet faltered. From the throne Pu Yi kow-towed to his stepmother, the Dowager Empress Yehonala. He then received the kow-tows, while still on the throne, of all the princes and officials present. This over, he descended and was again clad in his little dress of mourning.

The ceremony took place in the throne hall of the Forbidden City. The officials present were selected with great care, and were the highest in the empire.

According to an old established custom, a nnumber of humble coolies, men from the lowest walks of life, were brought into the sacred precincts of the Forbidden City to act as witnesses. The soldiers played but an inconspicuous part in the proceedings.

At half past eleven the officials began leaving the place. Traffic outside the Forbidden City was at no time impeded.

The scene was enlivened by a number of pilgrims, who had come on camels all the way from Mongolia.

All yesterday sacrifices were made to their late Majesties by the highest dignitaries of the empire at the five more important temples of Peking, the temples of Heaven, of the Ancestorl, of the Earth, of Agriculture, and of Confucius.

The edict setting forth the accession of Pu Yi to the throne and granting amnesty was carried with much ceremony to the throne hall. It was escorted by all members of the Grand Council, who were in turn accompanied by the members of the Board of Rights. In the throne hall it was given the official Vermillion seat. There it was carried to the office of the Board of Rights, where it was proclaimed and put in circulation.

In addition to granting amnesties for certain specified offenses, the edict rewards all the imperial princes, princesses and dukes; it promotes all of this by one degree and bestows honors on their parents; it erases the demerits entered against minor officials, advances the degree of scholars, dismisses all pending petty criminal cases, excuses certain liabilities, and grants bounties to the soldiers in the service of the empire.

OBITUARY.

J. H. Sharor.

ALLIANCE (O.) Dec. 2.—J. H. Sharor, commander of the Ohio Department, G.A.R., died today of acute indigestion.

F. C. Dickerson.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 2.—F. C. Dickerson, chief of the Sunnyvale fire department, died yesterday in a local hospital.

Pietro Reale.

SAN JOSE, Dec. 2.—Pietro Reale, a soldier with Garibaldi in the Italian wars years ago, died here last night from ills consequent of old age. He was 90 years old.

CARELESS CORRESPONDENT.

HIS LETTER WAS IMPROPER.

MINER ARRESTED FOR WRITING TO MARRIED WOMAN.

John H. Cross Sent to Jail for Using Mails to Invite Wife to Leave Husband and Join Him—Boy Found Missive and It Was Given to Inspector.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

MACON (Mo.) Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] John H. Cross, a coal miner of Novinger, was today sent to jail for sending improper letters to a woman in Illinois. The preliminary trial occurred before R. G. Mitchell, United States Commissioner at Macon. The case had been worked up by a postoffice inspector.

A letter was introduced which purported to have been written by Cross to a married woman in Illinois, suggesting that she leave her husband and that he would meet her and take care of her.

The postoffice inspector obtained the letter from the woman's son. After she received it she left home, but forgot to take the letter with her. She wrote back to her boy, telling him to get the letter and destroy it. Instead of doing this the boy showed the letter to his father and the evidence was placed in the hands of an inspector.

Cross, the defendant, admitted writing the letter but said that he was merely acting as the friend of the woman, and intended nothing wrong by his letter. The commissioner thought, however, that the letter evinced probable cause that a crime had been committed in sending it through the United States mail.

FACING THE MUSIC.

BETWEEN WIFE AND AFFINITY.

PREACHER FLANKED BY WOMEN IN COURTROOM.

Rev. William Cummings, Who Eloped With Sister-in-Law, Answers Charge of Non-support, Sitting Between the Two and Conversing Amiably With Them.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

IONIA (Mich.) Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] When the trial of Rev. William Cummings of Clarksville, a preacher who is charged by his wife with non-support, began this morning, the wife sat at one side of her husband, and his affinity, her sister, sat on the other side.

Cummings, who is a theological student, was appointed to the Episcopal charge in Elk Rapids.

There, one Sunday in August, he was met by his wife's sister, Velva Taylor, and they went away together. They visited various towns in Northern Michigan, and when found by the officers, were living in Charlevoix. Cummings was found working over a washtub in a laundry. He was arrested and brought back to Ionia.

Mrs. Cummings broke into tears as she entered the courtroom. Although she is the complaining witness in the case, she sat at her husband's side. Cummings smiled and conversed with her as though in an effort to cheer her up. Her sister, the affinity, also will be a witness.

LOST ARE FOUND.

Aged Woman Discovered on Park Bench—Missing Man Was "Visiting a Friend."

Mrs. Margaret A. McLaughlin, 69 years of age, of No. 900 West Eleventh street, and Henry Kesten, 23 years old, of No. 1709 Moston street, both of whom mysteriously disappeared from their homes Tuesday afternoon, were found yesterday.

The woman was discovered, seated on a bench in Elysian park at 10 o'clock yesterday morning. The park officer sent her to her home.

Kesten left home Tuesday afternoon, and his wife later reported his disappearance to the police. Yesterday afternoon he called her up on the telephone and announced that he would return at once. Later he made his appearance and announced that he had been visiting a friend.

CHOP STICKS FOR BANKERS.

Guests of Wealthy Chinese Merchant Eschew Mere Knives and Forks at Board.

George Lem, a wealthy commission merchant of the Chinese quarter, entertained a number of bankers at an informal banquet given in the hall of the Lem Café on Marchessault street, last night.

The most delicate Chinese dishes were served and the bankers, refusing the knives and forks offered them, ate with chop sticks in true oriental manner.

Following the banquet an interesting talk was given by Mr. Lem on the manner in which the wealthy Chinese of the Orient horde their money.

Different Fire Wanted.

"We will give you some orators who will fire your imaginations," said the campaign worker.

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OVER-ZEALOUS.

BRYAN IS BUSY FATHER-IN-LAW.

ARTIST LEAVITT'S TROUBLES EXPLAINED.

Friends of Ruth Bryan's Husband Say Democratic Leader Enters Too Much Into Young People's Affairs. Mrs. Leavitt Shows Tendency to "Run Around."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That the marital troubles between Ruth Bryan Leavitt and her artist husband, William H. Leavitt, is the result of too much father-in-law on the wife's side is the statement made in Des Moines by Kari Keffer and his sister, Miss Frances Keffer, both personal friends of Leavitt, who have just returned from Paris.

Both Keffers say they were present at a fashionable gathering in Paris at which artist Leavitt's mother was a guest. In the course of conversation they say that the elder Mrs. Leavitt exclaimed that Mr. Bryan entered altogether too much in her son's affairs to be satisfactory to either herself or her son.

"Mr. Leavitt seldom speaks of his wife," said Mr. Keffer, "but he has talked about her to me while we were staying at the same hotel in Paris. At one time he said to me that Mrs. Leavitt was too fond of 'running around.'"

On many occasions, he said, they would no sooner get settled in a new residence than she would suddenly dislike her surroundings and want to move again.

BRYAN MAY LOSE COLORADO.

TECHNICALITY OVERWHELMED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) Dec. 2.—Bryan may lose Colorado's five electoral votes on a technicality. A State law provides explicitly that electors shall convene at the capital on the first Wednesday in December after their election and fill any vacancy, and then vote for President and Vice-President by open ballot. The official count was completed yesterday, but the State law was overlooked. Today it was called to the attention of the Secretary of State, who rushed through certificates of election, but all electors save Lieut-Gov. Thomas were out of town. The Attorney-General will be asked to solve the difficulty, if possible.

POLITICAL BRIEFS.

West Virginia Returns.

CHARLESTON (W. Va.) Dec. 2.—The compilation of the official returns of the November election was finished yesterday. For President, West Virginia gave Taft 137,869 and Bryan 111,418; Chafin, Prohibitionist, received 5107; Debs, Socialist, 3676, and Hisgen, Independent, 46.

CONSUMPTION

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SALT LAKE (Utah) Dec. 2.—On the witness stand in the United States District Court today, J. M. Moore, western sales agent for the Union Pacific Coal Company, and a defendant in the case, admitted that he had cut off the coal supply of D. J. Sharp, a Salt Lake coal dealer, because Sharp insisted upon cutting the retail price of incoming coal 50 cents a ton.

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A preliminary survey has been completed from Butte, Mont., to Great Falls for a high power line for the purpose of transmitting power from the four dams to be constructed on the Missouri River near Great Falls by interests identified with the Amalgamated Coper Company, to the mines in Butte and the smelters at Anaconda. All told, the line will be about 200 miles in length, one of the longest of its kind in the world.

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Yard Wide *Unbleached Muslin* **3 3/4c**
The values range up to 10c in this lot. Just like finding it at this price.

Lawn Waists
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One of the features for today in this great Smoke and Water Damage Sale. Lawn waists, embroidered and lace trimmed and tucks. Not a waist in the lot worth less than 50c, and many worth up to $1. 23c while they last today. 2d floor.

Water Soaked *Copyrighted Books* **5c**
VALUES TO $2.00
They're damaged, of course, but just imagine some of the very best titles in rebound copyrights. Also 50 copies of
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This is the Pasadena edition. Also children's books, including the Alger and Henty series and the West Point series.

Salfield Linen Books 5c
These are worth from 15c to 75c in the regular way. Altogether there are some 3000 books in this lot. They'll all be on sale on the third floor, bargain center, as long as they last, each, 5c.

Boys' 25c and 50c Suspenders 5c
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Scratch tablets for school or office, several of them in a bunch, a 25c to 50c value at 5c.

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Men's Shirts 10c & 25c
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Union suits, vests and pants, jersey ribbed; also low neck and sleeveless vests; they're smoke and water damaged; the values range to $1. They go in two lots at 10c and 25c.

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Water damaged, black and colors, 59c quality, yard 19c.

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Water and smoke damaged, $1.25 and $1.75 values, while it lasts, yard 25c.

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The disclosure unearths a scandal in the Chicago-avenue Station, and may result in the baling before the trial board of Patrolman Harrison, who made the arrest, and others who were concerned with the booking of the prisoner.

CAPITALIST'S SON BURGLAR.

BROKE INTO STORE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

SALINAS, Dec. 2.—Charles J. Boyle was found guilty today of burglary in the first degree. Boyle, who is the son of a San Rafael capitalist, and who had enlisted as a private in the Twentieth Infantry, broke into the store of H. L. Bickford at Monterey on the night of May 14, and took three revolvers from a show case. One of the weapons he had often handled and admired when visiting the store. After his arrest he made a confession and informed the officers where the stolen property was secreted in the hills back of the Presidio of Monterey. The officers unearthed the outfit of a hold-up man, consisting of a disguise, a slungshot, gas pipe and gloves, all of which had been stolen with the exception of the slungshot. The defense endeavored to make out a case of mental aberration on the part of the defendant, and attempted to show that he had no criminal intent when he broke into Bickford's store.

BIG BANK ROBBERY.

SAFE-BLOWERS GET $14,000.

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PEPPERELL (Mass.) Dec. 2.—Fourteen thousand dollars in cash was secured by burglars, who early today blew open the vault of the First National Bank here. The thoroughness and skill with which the work was performed has convinced the police that the burglars were professionals. Three men were in the party, and although they were seen entering an automobile, all trace of them was soon lost. The bank vault was blown open about 2 a.m., at which time the last of three explosions was heard by Ernest Tarbell, who was sleeping next door.

Tarbell armed himself with a revolver and started to investigate, only to find the door of his own house barred outside. He succeeded in breaking open his door and reached the bank just as the robbers were leaving in the automobile.

WOMEN LOST ON APRONS.

Promoter Who Offered Fifty Cents for Making Collected Dollar for Materials.

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PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] H. C. Van Neida, promoter of the Pacific Apron Company, with offices in the Marquam building, was arrested this afternoon by the Federal authorities charged with conducting a swindling mail order concern. Von Neida, who says he came to Portland from Los Angeles, maintains that his company is engaged in carrying on a legitimate business. His system was to advertise for women to make aprons at home, for which they were to receive 30 cents each. They were required, however, to forward $1 before they would be allowed to share in the benefits. They were to get this back when a dozen aprons had been made. It always turned out that the aprons had not been satisfactorily made and postal authorities received many complaints from women who had been swindled. It is estimated that Von Neida, while he kept going, reaped about $300 a day from his victims.

A concern of the same name has been operating in this city and numerous complaints have been made to the local postal inspectors of its method of doing business. The Pacific Apron Company had an office in the Lissner building, although it is not mentioned in the city directory or either of the telephone books.

Some time ago, the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association received a letter from a woman in the East who wrote she had been swindled out of $1 which she sent on for materials. After she had made a dozen aprons, she said, she sent them to the local address but never heard from the company.

Secretary Zeehandelaar at once made an investigation and took the matter up with the postal inspectors. Apparently the promoter of the scheme thought he could do better in Portland than here, hence moved his quarters.

THREATENS WITH SCISSORS.

Thomas Lee drew a pair of scissors on S. Goldstein, and threatened to "shoot" him with them, last night, because the latter requested him to stop applauding an actress in a small theater on South Main street. The actress was giving an illustrated song, and Lee annoyed the audience by applauding during the singing. Goldstein, who occupied the next seat, asked him to desist. Lee swore at him, reached for his hip pocket, and drew a pair of scissors, instead of the gun spectators expected to see. He was taken to the Police Station on a charge of disturbing the peace, but after an investigation, it was changed to drunk.

CRIME BRIEFS.

Murder for Forty Cents.

CHAFEY (Nev.) Dec. 2.—The first murder to be committed in this mining camp occurred at 4 o'clock this morning when Mrs. Tena Coby, a colored laundress, killed John Manley, also colored, with an ax, almost severing his head from his body. The woman struck the man a dozen times, beating his head to a jelly. Manley had been collecting for the laundry and had failed to return 40 cents. This is the woman's only excuse for the deed.

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TOULON (France) Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Henry Addison Alexander divorce case and property injunction proceedings have ended here in a drawn battle. Both husband and wife will receive a decree of separation in January, and Alexander will get a large slice of his wife's fortune of $1,000,000, provided he takes a cure for inebriates and does not remarry Grace Green, whom he twice married and who twice divorced him.

When the present Mrs. Alexander, (who was the daughter of Gen. Joseph Torrence of Chicago and the widow of Kinsley Magoun, a New York banker) fled from their villa at Hyeres with William Graham Blakiston, a London attorney, Alexander at once tied up all her property. She has been compelled to pawn her jewelry for living expenses, it is said, while Alexander has borrowed at 50 per cent. from loan sharks.

At yesterday's hearing a large contingent from the jockey club of Southern France and the Hyeres Golf Club clamored at the closed doors and nearly raised a riot because they were refused admittance.

Alexander will start immediately for London to take the liquor cure and earn his annuity. He is a son of the founder of the New York law firm of Alexander and Green a Princeton graduate, an athlete and was for some time counsel to the American embassy at Paris.

PROTECTORS DIDN'T PROTECT.

Planters File Suit Against Planters' Association, Alleging Mismanagement and Mistreatment.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PADUCAH (Ky.) Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Allegations of a sensational nature are contained in a petition filed this afternoon for a receiver of the Planters' Protective Association of Kentucky, Tennessee and Virginia, the members of which are tobacco growers.

The suit is the climax to the general dissatisfaction among the members in the Black Patch over the manner in which their tobacco in pool has been handled. The farmers want to sell their 1908 crop on the loose leaf market, and also to dispose of the tobacco in the pool, but the association officials stubbornly declined to accede to their wishes.

With capable management, it is alleged, all of the 1906 and 1907 crops could have been sold at a satisfactory figure, but it is alleged that fraud, malfeasance and negligence have been practiced; that the association officials have taken the farmers' tobacco and borrowed money on it from the banks at 6 per cent. and loaned it to the farmers at 8 per cent. The plaintiffs sue to recover the 2 per cent. overcharge, which is approximated at $35,000.

It is further charged that the officers are holding more than $50,000 derived from the sale of tobacco belonging to the plaintiffs, which they refuse to distribute, with the intention of converting it to their own use.

DREGS.

SLIDING DOWN SOCIAL SCALE.

MRS. JACK WILMERDING HAS HER "HUSBAND" ARRESTED.

Granddaughter of Commodore Vanderbilt Living in Cheap Flat With Englishman, Whom She Points Out to Police and Accuses of Ill Treatment—Once Society Favorite.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After hiding from her wealthy relatives and former friends in New York society for several months, Mrs. "Jack" Wilmerding, great granddaughter of the late Commodore Vanderbilt, yesterday, made known her whereabouts by having "Jimmy" Coates, who says she is his wife according to the English common law, arrested and arraigned in the Harlem Police Court on a charge of ill-treatment.

The warrant on which Coates, a large, blonde, heavily-mustached and nattily-dressed man, 36 years old, with a thick English accent, was arrested, was served late yesterday afternoon by Policeman Kelly, who found Coates in a cheap little flat ober a grocery store at No. 52 Broadhurst avenue, where the couple have been living for about eighteen months.

The warrant was secured in the name of "Marie Coates." Under this name the woman, whose marriage in 1891 to "Jack" Wilmerding in Grace Church was one of the most fashionable ebents ever celebrated in that church of the rich, took the policeman and pointed out "her husband," ordering him arrested.

"It had to be, Jim," she said, "I couldn't help it."

She began to weep and threw her arms around Coates's neck.

"It's all right, old girl," Coates said. "Don't worry," and he went along with Kelly, leaving the woman alone in the flat. At the West One Hundred and Twenty-fifth-street station, John Mustard, a merchant, furnished bail for Coates, and he was released. When the case was called the woman did not appear to prosecute and Coates was discharged.

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Best Mile Course in World to Be Constructed.

Second "White City" Planned by Capt. Ryus.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In the future all automobile races held on a race course a mile in circumference or less will not be sanctioned by the American Automobile Association, the governing body in all affairs pertaining to track or road racing.

If auto drivers persist in taking part in this unsanctioned sport, it is only a matter of time when they will be placed under the ban of the association and declared "outlaws." These stringent rules are incorporated in the set of resolutions which is announced by the directors of the association at headquarters.

For two years there has been agitation among members of the association to stop the racing of automobiles on race tracks built for horse racing. It was claimed contests held on such courses were not only dangerous to life and limb, but served no useful purpose as practical demonstrations of a car's speed and endurance.

EXCEPTION HERE.

TRACK WILL BE WELL BUILT.

"The action of the American Automobile Association does not affect our track," said Capt. H. D. Ryus, last night, when shown the above dispatch. "When we get through with remodeling the course it will no longer be a horse racing track, but the largest saucer track in the world, for we expect to build a complete cement track with banked turns which will make it perfectly safe to conduct races at a high rate of speed."

Capt. Ryus admitted last night that he represented the capitalists who are promoting the course, and stated that the deal had been completed yesterday and that the backers of the proposition had accepted the terms of $12,000 for a fourteen year lease and had closed the deal.

The deal includes the transfer of 500,000 shares of the Los Angeles Jockey Club, all that have been issued, and the directors of that club have resigned and new officers will be elected and installed when the lease is taken over by the new stock company, which is to be formed in about ten days, to include the dealers and such others as are interested.

The new name of the course will be the "Ascot Track of America," and accommodation for 100,000 persons is to be made. The track was turned over to Capt. Ryus last night and he expects to have the track open by January 1. The lease includes the use of the 158 acres included in the tract, and all the buildings. Ryus plans to build a second "White City," as in Chicago, and believes that the Chamber of Commerce will see its way clear to use some of the buildings for a permanent exhibit.

FRANKLIN OPENING.

RALPH HAMLIN ENTERTAINS.

Ralph Hamlin and his display of Franklin motor cars drew a large crowd of admiring autoists at the formal opening of the new Franklin garage at Eleventh and Olive streets, last night.

The latest home of the popular car is commodious and attractive in every design, from the spacious salesroom and still more roomy garage and shops, to the natty private offices of the manager.

Six different styles of the new 1909 Franklins were on display, and the cars from the eighteen-horse-power runabout to the big six-cylinder touring machine are built on beautiful lines, and suggest speed and power in every part.

That the Franklin is a popular machine with the Southern California motorists is attested by the fact that Hamlin delivered more Franklins during the last year from the Los Angeles shops, than were sold by the combined efforts of the several agents in New York City.

To date Hamlin has delivered four of the classy 1909 models, and in addition has contracts to deliver fourteen other cars. Four of the cars on display last night were tagged sold, the other two being the demonstrators.

Hamlin yesterday received a commendation from H. H. Franklin, complimenting the local agent on his marked efforts in advancing the auto interests of California.

Football Victim.

MODESTO, Dec. 2.—William Timms, a 17-year-old grammar school student, died today of injuries received two weeks ago, in a practice football game. Timms received several hard blows during the game and the injuries developed peritonitis.

McCloskey's New Berth.

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] McCloskey of the St. Louis Cardinal ball team has been chosen as manager of the Milwaukee American Association team for the coming season. He has had poor luck with the Cardinals, but may do better in a lesser league.

Wagner Winning at Savannah,
showing portion of great concourse of people during big automobile races, Saturday.

THE RACES.

SLUSH AND RAIN SWAMP PONIES.

PIKERS ONLY BETTORS TO MAKE GOOD AT ARCADIA.

Proper Is Only Favorite to Make Good in Muddy Going and He Likes the Style—Merlingo at Prohibitive Odds Is Defeated by Six Lengths by an Outsider.

Slush and rain played sad havoc with the form players at the Arcadia races yesterday and the pikers were the only part of the gamblers that could do anything with the bookmakers and they did not win any money. It was all guess work from the start to the finish and there was little form to the events on account of the mud. The "dope" did not show what any of the nags could do in the soup and the talent was completely at sea.

The only favorite to finish in front was Proper in the second race and he liked the going and practically led from the start, the others never being close enough to scare him.

Dredkin started the surprises in the first race by winning at 7 to 1. In the third race Alma Boy at 11 to 2 beat the 1 to 3 favorite Merlingo by six lengths. Light Wool at 3, trimmed the 8 to 5 favorite Mark Anthony II, in the fourth race; Senator Beckham beat the favorite L. C. Widrig in the fifth, and Billy Mayham ran away with the closing number at 7 to 1, the favorite La Chata, finishing seventh. The professional gamblers could do nothing with this kind of racing. Results:

Five and a half furlongs: Dredkin, 109 (Powers,) 7 to 1, won; Mattie Russell, 107 (Goldstein,) 15 to 1, second; Sandpiper, 107 (Yorke,) 5 to 2, third; time, 1:08. Father Stafford, Royal Stone, Empire Expedition, Rey El Dinero and Charlie Rothschild also ran. Shapdale scratched.

Six and a half furlongs: Proper, 110 (Powers,) 7 to 10, won; Duke of Bridgewater, 103 (Archibald,) 12 to 1, second; Dainty Belle, 102 (Kennedy,) 10 to 1, third; time, 1:21 4-5. Catherine F., Orcagna, Chief Desmond, Feminine, Ardis, Dr. Crook, Joseph K. and Arthur Hyman also ran. Dr. Weis, Toller, Merrill, Virlando and Friar of Elgin scratched.

Mile and one-eighth: Alma Boy, 107 (Martin,) 11 to 2, won; Merlingo, 110 (Musgrave,) 1 to 3, second; Varieties, 99 (Harris,) 15 to 1, third; time, 1:55 1-5. Mike Jordan also ran. Hi Caul Cap and Ed Ball scratched.

Mile, Orange Handicap: Light Wool, 103 (Musgrave,) 5 to 2, won; Mark Anthony II, 106 (Burns,) 8 to 5, second; Stanley Fay, 111 (Harris,) 3 to 1, third; time, 1:40. First Peep also ran. Center Shot, Vox Populi and Green Seal scratched.

Mile and one-quarter: Senator Beckham, 103 (Ural,) 5 to 1, won; L. C. Widrig, 101 (Reid,) 5 to 2, second; Henry O., 102 (Harris,) 12 to 5, third; time, 2:09¼. Flavigny, King of the Mist and Sachet also ran.

Five furlongs: Billy Mayham, 112 (Clark,) 7 to 1, won; Tim O'Toole, 112 (Dennison,) 5 to 2, second; Prince of Castile, 112 (Burns,) 15 to 1, third; time, 1:02 2-5. Monvina, Sam G., Andoche, La Chata, Bellchamber, Brennus and Forkford also ran. Frontenac, Bribery, Lord of the Forest and Free Knight the Bear, scratched.

TODAY'S ENTRIES.

Five and one-half furlongs: Andoche, 119; Golden Rule, 114; Lord Nelson, 119; Free Knight the Bear, 119; Brennus, 119; Fleming, 114; Orello, 117; Mintia, 112; Desmages, 119; Saracinesca, 119.

Six furlongs, 2-year-olds: Lula G., 105; Galvini, 108; Fred Maier, 106; Enfield, 108; Lucky Mate, 108; Yankee Daughter, 105; Hardlyson, 105; Nebraska Lass, 105; Roy T., 103; The Peer, 100.

One mile: Light Wool, 113; Mark Anthony II, 109; Bucket Brigade, 108; Hasty Agnes, 105; Old Timer, 103; Adriuche, 100.

One mile: Uncle Henry, 110; Rye Bye II, 107; Hi Col Cap, 107; Aulmus, 107; Skylark, 107; Orcagna, 103; St. Kilda, 98.

Six and one-half furlongs: Pinaud, 106; Ampedo, 103; Belle of Iroquois, 100; Tendercrest, 100; Lee Harrison II, 100; Haber, 100; Elizabeth F., 100.

Seven furlongs: Diamond Nose, 106; Skyo, 106; Round and Round, 105; Third Rail, 103; John Lyle, 102; Warner Griswell, 102; Orinamb, 100.

*Apprentice allowance.

FENNER TRYING FOR AUTO RACES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] F. C. Fenner of Los Angeles is here trying to arrange for use of the Coronado track for a series of big automobile races. Fenner is sanguine of inducing Barney Oldfield, Christy, and other noted drivers to come here to compete for prizes. The several racing cars maintained by the White company will be brought here.

EMERYVILLE RACES.

BOOKMAKERS RUN SECOND.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

OAKLAND, Dec. 2.—Well-played horses were successful at Emeryville today, and the twenty-five layers in line had an unprofitable session. Wamboro was favorite for the first race, but there was a heavy play on Rosamo and he proved an easy winner from The Vicar. Wamboro finished third. Frank Weir bid Rosamo up from $500 to $900, but he was retained.

Haslett, second choice, took the two-year-old race easily from Argonaut and Meddling Hannah. Chipmunk, the favorite, made a disappointing showing after getting away well. Wap, winner of the fifth, was bid up from $500 to $800 by H. G. Bedwell, his former owner, but was retained. Results:

Five furlongs, selling: Rosamo, 111 (Miller,) 3 to 1, won; The Vicar, 107 (Holmes,) 16 to 1, second; Wamboro, 105 (Walsh,) 3 to 2, third; time, 1:01. Mabel Fountain, Johnny White, Harry Stanhope, Larry Mulligan, Ornate, Lady Rensselaer, Angel Face, El Paso and Roy Shumway finished as named.

Five furlongs, selling: Haslet, 113 (McCarthy,) 14 to 5, won; Argonaut, 108 (Butler,) 4 to 1, second; Meddling Hannah, 105 (Keogh,) 5 to 1, third; time, 1:00 3-5. Knight Dock, Miss Highland, Chipmunk, Micaela, Fargo Rose and Carrie Thatcher also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Kokomo, 119 (Hayes,) 2 to 1, won; Sid Silver, 119 (Rettig,) 20 to 1, second; St. Joe, 114 (MacBeth,) 7 to 1, third; time, 1:13 4-5. Cheers, Em and Em, Colbert, Confederate, The Captain, Sophomore, Avona, Yellowstone and Speaker Fontana also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Belle Kirney, 119 (Rettig,) 6 to 5, won; Curriculum, 119 (McCarthy,) 7 to 1, second; Fore Runner, 119 (Miller,) 4 to 1, third; time, 1:14. Dencen, Tank, Charles Green, Marion Rose, Elevation, Billy Bowlegs and Lord Rossington also ran.

Mile, selling: Wap, 109 (Keogh,) 6 to 5, won; Capt. Kennedy, 105 (Gilbert,) 7 to 1, second; Be Thankful, 107 (Kirschbaum,) 13 to 5, third; time, 1:42. Romanoff, Alcibiades, Sir Wesley, Taskmaster and Carmenita also ran.

Seven furlongs, purse: Collector Jessup, 112 (Rettig,) 8 to 5, won; Sempronium, 92 (Walsh,) 9 to 1, second; Creation, 103 (Butler,) 5 to 1, third; time, 1:26 1-5. Warden, Anna L. Daley, Dollie Dollars, Schloswig, Purser Rose and Convent Bell also ran.

AGAINST SPEED MANIACS.

Autoists of This Country up in Arms Against Reckless Motorists Who Maim and Kill.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] New York automobilists as a class are up in arms against the conduct of chauffeurs who flee from the scene of accidents caused by their own carelessness. The decent and predominating element in the automobile world has decided that manslaughter on the streets must be stopped at any cost, and as the direct result of the accident at Fifty-second street and Ninth avenue Monday night, which resulted in the death of Mrs. Caroline Layer and the subsequent flight of the guilty driver, indignation meetings were the rule today wherever motorists of the better sort gathered.

So strong a sentiment against "joy rides" and their attendant fatalities has been aroused that at a meeting of the board of governers of the Automobile Club of America, held this afternoon, it was decided to call a special meeting for next week to consider the situation in general and take some action which will guarantee the public against further excesses of this kind.

The meeting of the Automobile Club today was attended by Henry Sanderson, John Jacob Astor, Robert Lee Morrell, Winslow Tracy Williams, George F. Chamberlain and Winthrop Scarrett. The suggestion that the club take an active stand against reckless chauffeurs came from Albert Shattuck, a former governor of the club, and met with the approval of the entire board.

Is "Lucky" Guilty?

It is reported that the two cans of steelhead trout fry given to "Lucky" Baldwin to put in the creeks near Monrovia, were dumped in a pond on "Lucky's" Arcadia ranch. If this is true the old man will be given a hard "call" if he ever applies to the Fish Commission again for the honor of distributing fish in public streams.

PUGNACIOUS.

BERRY IS DONE WITH OUTLAWS.

Says He Will Oppose Their Entrance Into Fold.

Outcasts Want Favors Coast League Cannot Give.

President Ewing Decides on Fight to Finish.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Henry Berry declared tonight:

"I will have no further dealings with representatives of the State League. They did not talk reason when we met with them, and I will not attend any more conferences. I will vote against their admission, and you can cut me out in future discussions of State League affairs."

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

Chances for friendly relations between the Pacific Coast League and the California State League are not brilliant as a result of the conference Tuesday afternoon.

The State Leaguers intimated that Ewing and Berry did not have the requisite authority and now the Coast League officials are hurling defiance and declaring that the outlaws must act through them or there will be no chance for their joining organized baseball.

Ewing is particularly incensed at what he terms an effort to over-rule his authority and Berry adds that he will never have anything more to do with the State League.

When the State League delegates met with the Coast Leaguers, they said politely they wanted to see Pulliam and Johnson and hear what they might have to offer. Now comes Ewing with this statement:

"It will be impossible for the State League directors to talk business with Presidents Pulliam and Johnson. I will stand on my rights and object to any such procedure as I am the Coast representative of the minor leaguers and empowered to act.

READY TO FIGHT.

"The Coast League is ready to fight to a finish and I expect that we will have to fight, as the demands of the State League are outrageous.

"The State League wants every player reinstated and clubs in San Francisco, Oakland and Alameda, with one week's games in San Francisco at Recreation Park, Valencia street, while the Coast teams will be away. We will not stand for anything of the kind. We will put a team in Sacramento and whether we lose money or not, will fight to a finish. Help will be given by the National Commission.

Ewing also states that Presidents Johnson and Pulliam will arrive about December 18 on a visit and not for the purpose of taking up the question of organized baseball with the outlaws. He explains that his chief reason for seeing the outlaws go into organized baseball is that it would prevent mistakes in drafting and buying players from the East not suitable for the Pacific Coast League.

PROGNOSTICATIONS.

DISPOSITION OF HOGAN.

No matter what may be the result of the negotiations of the State League outlaws and the Pacific Coast League directors, the Los Angeles ball club proposes to be ready with the necessary catchers for next year, for Manager Dillon expects to sign Catcher Orndorff this week. Dillon and the club secretary, Harry Lelande, have discussed the matter with the new catcher and it is understood that he is willing to sign. From what he showed here in a few games the latter part of the past season he would make good in this league, for he is undoubtedly a ball player, and acts like a live one.

This naturally brings up the question of what would become of Happy Hogan in the event that Teddy Easterly stays with the local club next year, instead of going to Cleveland.

From present appearances it looks as if there will be no Class B league on the Coast next year for the outlaws and the Coast League directors are quarreling. If they do patch up their differences it is more than probable that Hogan will be captain of the Class B team to be put in Los Angeles. Harry Lelande and Tom Darmody are figuring on being interested in such a Class B team and Mayor Harper, Goings and Henry Lyons will also be in it. If there is no Class B team, the Coast League will be made up of six teams as heretofore proposed and the Harper-Lyons-Goings organization will be given a franchise.

In the plans with this end in view, Danny Shay of the Stockton outlaw team was figured on as captain, but if the outlaws are to fight the Coast League he may remain with the Stockton; If he does come, Hogan would not be chosen as captain.

At present, the baseball situation on the Coast is very much up in the air, and nothing will be known definitely until it is learned whether or not the Coast League and the outlaws can get together.

Cage to Be Built.

Work will be commenced this week on the building of the big wire cage in Griffith Park that will be the temporary home of the 500 or 1000 quail that the Fish and Game Commission will take care of until after the open season closes, and then liberate in various parts of the county, where the birds have been scarce this year. The cage will be seventy-two feet long, nine feet high and twelve feet wide, and will be made of the ordinary chicken wire. It will be put in Griffith Park, to be away from the noise and excitement of city life, and where a keeper can watch it night and day to prevent the birds from being stolen.

Prizes Are Delayed.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Failure of several of the foreign drivers who took part in the recent Grand Prize automobile race at Savannah, Ga., to reach the city yesterday, caused a postponement of the awarding of $2000 in cash prizes to the first five who finished the race. The distribution was made this afternoon at the headquarters of the Automobile Club of America when the successful contestants were on hand.

Indians Beat Nebraska.

LINCOLN (Neb.) Dec. 2.—Outclassing Nebraska State University, the Carlisle Indians won a brilliant gridiron victory today by 37 to 6. The Indians made sensational gains through the line and were aided at critical times by the dexterity of Fullback Hauser's foot.

MISTY WEATHER.

GOOD SHOOTING DAY ON DUCK PRESERVES.

IT WAS limit day for the duck gunners yesterday and with the exception of three clubs the birds were present in large flights on the preserves, and the members of the mid-week squads got their bird bags full within a couple of hours.

On the Cerritos, Golden West, Olympic and Westminster clubs the rain came down in hard showers all during the morning, and the driving witness accompanied by a stiff land breeze early blew the ducks out to the ocean, and the birds did not suffer from thirst as might be expected on a dry, warm day, so did not return.

Clubs that secured the limits were the Blue Wing, Sunset, Center, Lomita, Pacific and Domingues, and in every case the visiting gunners got the legal number by 9 o'clock. The Sunset club was the sole preserve favored by the mallards, and the quartette of sportsmen, including N. Biehl, Dr. Dillingham, E. M. Wilson and McCoy, shared some of the best shooting since the season opened. "Plenty of large, fat birds," was the report given by the boys, and the occasional showers that occurred during the two hours of shooting did not inconvenience them.

The limit squad on the Blue Wing included Lee Stephens, W. T. Glassell, C. S. Campbell, C. E. Groat, W. F. Ball, Ed Allen and H. Glassell. Glassell said the birds were unusually plentiful and large, and in fine condition. Quite a few gadwell and sprig were shot, while spoonies and teal were also brought to bag.

Eight persons shot the legal number on the Lomita preserve, the fortunate ones being H. W. Lewis, Dr. O. P. Roller, L. D. Sale, H. B. Phillips, W. D. Newell, F. O. Johnson, M. P. Snyder and Thomas Haverty. Here, as elsewhere, the birds were all large, and the ducks blew in over the ponds in an almost continuous flight. Gadwell, spoonies and sprig predominated in the bags.

On the Olympic the wind rose early from the land quarter and scattered the flights of ducks to the ocean, and as a result the sport was marred. Mat Nordlinger was the sole limit man, while Frank Bowles shot twenty-five, Dr. Schiffman thirty-one, Jake Baum twenty-three and F. A. Fay fourteen. The spoonies were the more numerous, although a few sprig and widgeon were also secured.

The rain interfered with the sport on the Westminster club, but judging from the flights of ducks that lay on the ocean during the morning, the shooting will be excellent when the weather clears a bit. Jack Elliott, E. R. Rowley, F. E. Brown and E. H. Barmore were down, and averaged between twenty-five and thirty ducks each. Spoonies were quite numerous, and a few teal were also shot.

On the Golden West the rain played favorites with the fliers, and the sport waned as the showers increased. The boys quit early, too, and the bags were not as full as usual. H. P. Hoffman shot twenty. J. T. Lewis nineteen, Howard L. Rivers twelve, W. H. Stewart seven and a guest of H. P. Hoffman's twenty. The birds were all large, and the number of gadwell shot was the highest of the season.

A. H. Caubin and Ben Guercio were the two sole shooters on the Center club, and the boys had the shooting just to their liking, securing the limit shortly after 9 o'clock.

Dr. Graves and H. H. Markham shot ten each on the Cerritos grounds, and J. K. Urmston got twelve. The rain set in early and continued in a downpour all morning, spoiling the sport.

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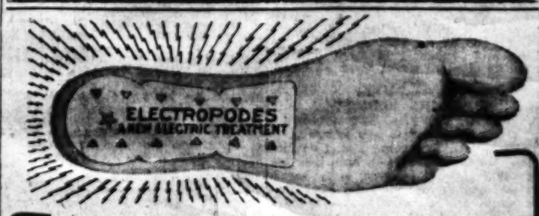

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RIVERSIDE HILL CLIMB ENTRIES INCLUDE MANY LOS ANGELES CARS

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Among the entries for the Box Springs hill climb Saturday are:

Two entries Stoddard-Dayton, 4-cylinder; Frank Siefert, driver.

One Tourist, 4-cylinder; two Tourists, 2-cylinder; George Cushman, driver.

"Jack Rabbit" Apperson, 4-cylinder car, two events; H. O. Harrison, driver.

Blue Bird Chalmers-Detroit, two events; Bert Dingley, driver.

Normand roadster, 2-cylinder; Earle Anthony, driver.

Normand touring car, 4-cylinder; Earle Anthony, driver.

Buick, 4-cylinder, owned and driven by H. T. Brown, Hollywood.

Two Ford machines, 4-cylinder, in two events.

St. Louis, 4-cylinder; William Watkins, driver.

Reo, 2-cylinder; Bert Latham, driver.

Locomobile, Corbin, Oldsmobile, 4-cylinder Maxwell, Kisselkar, and Studebaker.

Fifteen or twenty motorcycle entries are expected. Paul Derkum on a Thor will attempt to establish a new track record.

WISE TALKS
BY THE "OFFICE BOY"

"Go, little 'Office Boy,' go,
Addressed to an honored name
Hoping that when to them you
have went,
They'll be glad that you have
came."

This is one of the verses that was submitted by a bright boy in our Fire Cracker Ad Writing Contest, last June. Isn't awful? Still, my hat is off to that boy just the same, for he's going to be down near the front row some day, because he tried to be original to get away from the ordinary. I guess that's why his poetry is extraordinary. You have an awful lot of troubles, haven't you? We all have. The trick is to keep working all the time, every minute so you'll forget 'em. The reward is there, too, if you're just a bit patient. If you'll keep working and thinking and hustling all the year round, you won't have to flash your roscoe on the boss in order to get a raise. He'll talk to you before the first of January. Our big ad writing contest, which is to be pulled off on Dec. 15th, is going to be a lallapalooser right, and every boy and girl who submits a carefully prepared advertisement or drawing of the "Office Boy" is going to receive a nice big box of "Rose House" chocolates, and the ten best ones will get a beautiful gold Waltham watch. If you haven't one of our folders, ring full particulars, you can get one at any of our stores or if you live out of town, we'll mail you one for the asking. In the meantime, tell your folks to buy their Christmas goods at the Silverwood Store.

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NEW DEAL.

PAPKE KICKS OUT MANAGE

Throws Jones Overboard a Takes on Berger.

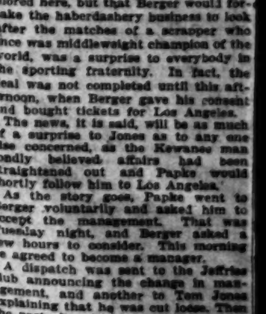
Money End of Ketchel Fig Makes Billy Sore.

Northern Sports Surprised the Change.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dissatisfied with business bargains he has made in past, Billy Papke tossed off Jones, his Illinois manager, and today came to terms with Sam Berger, former heavyweight and more recently a San Francisco fight promoter.

Berger accepted the terms made Papke and after they had wired



Billy Papke, Mi
who yesterday kicked out his forme
took on Sam Berg

Jeffries Athletic Club in Los Angeles to discontinue all negotiations with Jones, they left for Los Angeles, accompanied by Al Kaufman and Jack Gleason, to close the match with Hugo Kelly that is scheduled for December 15.

That Papke was not pleased with the management of Jones has been rumored here, but that Berger would forsake the haberdashery business to look after the matches of a scrapper who once was middleweight champion of the world, was a surprise to everybody in the sporting fraternity. In fact, the deal was not completed until this afternoon, when Berger gave his consent and bought tickets for Los Angeles.

The news, it is said, will be as much of a surprise to Jones as to any one else concerned, as the fellowship was fondly believed affairs had been straightened out and Papke would shortly follow him to Los Angeles.

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WISE TALKS
BY THE "OFFICE BOY"

Go, little 'Office Boy,' go,
Addressed to an honored name,
Hoping that when to them you
have went,
They'll be glad that you have
came."

This is one of the verses that
as submitted by a bright boy
our Fire Cracker Ad Writing
ontest, last June. Isn't it
wful? Still, my hat is off to
at boy just the same, for he's
oing to be down near the front
ow some day, because he tried
be original to get away from
e ordinary. I guess that's
hy this poetry is extraor-
inary. You have an awful
t of troubles, haven't you?
e all have. The trick is to
eep working all the time, every
inute so you'll forget 'em. The
reaid is there, too, if you're
t a bit patient. If you'll keep
orking and thinking and hust
g all the year round, you
on't have to flash your record
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ise. He'll talk to you before
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oing to be a lallapalooser all
ight, and every boy and girl
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ustive a nice big box of "Rough
ouse" chocolates, and the ten
et ones will get a beautiful,
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NEW DEAL.

PAPKE KICKS OUT MANAGER.

Throws Jones Overboard and Takes on Berger.

Money End of Ketchel Fight Makes Billy Sore.

Northern Sports Surprised at the Change.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dissatisfied with the business bargains he has made in the past, Billy Papke tossed off Tom Jones, his Illinois manager, and today came to terms with Sam Berger, the former heavyweight and more recently a San Francisco fight promoter.

Berger accepted the terms made by Papke and after they had wired the Jeffries Athletic Club in Los Angeles to discontinue all negotiations with Jones, they left for Los Angeles, accompanied by Al Kaufman and Jack Gleason, to close the match with Hugo Kelly that is scheduled for December 15.

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The order of the fights tomorrow night is as follows:

Togo and Dougherty, six rounds.
Mantell and O'Keefe, ten rounds.
English and Ward, ten rounds.
Wolgast and Young McCoy, ten rounds.

OFFER FOR PACKY.
COFFROTH AFTER WELSH.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Packy McFarland yesterday received a tentative offer for a match with Freddie Welsh at Coffroth's club at San Francisco on New Year's afternoon. While the financial terms are not quite to the liking of Manager Gilmore, he expects there will be no trouble in adjusting them.

He wired yesterday, suggesting that the weight be the same as in the last match, 133 pounds, at 10 o'clock. The battle is to go twenty-five rounds.

SOME CLASS HERE.

Sophomores of U.S.C. Defeat Strong Glendale High School Basketball Team.

The sophomore class basketball five of the University of Southern California defeated the strong Glendale High School team at the university court yesterday afternoon by a score of 19 to 14.

The game was the fastest exhibition seen on the Methodist court this season, and the Sophs lead in the scoring throughout the contest. At the end of the first fifteen-minute period the score was 5 to 3, in favor of the home five. Hall, Carroll and Henderson shared in the winning scores, each making three field baskets, Carroll adding an additional point on a free throw from the foul line.

Emery and Stine starred for the visitors, who put up a hard game. This is the third game won by the Sophs this week, they having defeated the Huntington Beach five Tuesday by the score of 12 to 11, and the Vernon Barracas Monday by the count of 30 to 6.

The line-up of the teams was as follows:

Glendale.		Sophs.
Taylor	forward	Henderson
Emery	forward	Carroll
Walton	center	Hall
Stine	guard	Red Reed
Gould	guard	Paulin

Goals from field, Henderson 3, Carroll 3, Hall 2, Taylor 4, Emery 1, Walton 2; goal from foul line, Carroll 1; referee, Goodsell.

Billy Papke, Middleweight Boxer,
who yesterday kicked out his former manager, Tom Jones of Chicago, and took on Sam Berger of San Francisco.

WANTS MORE MONEY.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Pitcher Overall of the Cubs had a two-hours' star chamber session with President Murphy today during which a disagreement over Orvie's salary clause in next year's contract was discussed. The big pitcher refused to sign at the terms quoted.

Overall intends to remain in the city until January 1, and possibly the difference between player and club owner will be adjusted before he leaves for his home in California.

The negotiations between Murphy and Overall were not unpleasant at any time during the conference, but a difference of a few hundred dollars was still between them when they adjourned the meeting.

Ball Game Postponed.

The big ball game that was to have been played at Chutes Park on Sunday of next week between teams captained by Frank Chance of the Chicago Cubs and Frank Dillon of the Los Angeles team, has been postponed one week because the park cannot be secured for December 13. It is announced that all the proceeds of the game will be given to the Elks benefit fund.

Godwin Heard from.

Godwin, the new left fielder of the Los Angeles club, who was drafted from the Bloomington team, has written to Secretary Harry Lelande, asking when he is to report, his evident intention being to learn when he will be put on the pay roll.

ALL ON BOARD LOST.

KOBE (Japan) Dec. 2.—The Japanese steamer Ginsei Maru foundered off Wei Hei Wei November 30. The entire crew, and all passengers on board were lost. The dead number seventy.

Must Sell 300 Pianos.

Come in and select a piano for Christmas. Pay a deposit and get receipt for double the amount paid up to $50. Wholesale prices. BARTLETT MUSIC CO., "The big exclusive Piano House," Opposite City Hall on Broadway.

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If You Want to Go East, C. Haydock, Agent Illinois Central R.R., 112 West Sixth.

John B. Taylor,
wonderful Penn negro runner, who died yesterday.

NEGRO SPRINTER DEAD.

Only Colored Man to Take Part in Olympic Games Is Victim of Typhoid-Pneumonia.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 2.—Dr. John B. Taylor, the former champion quarter-mile runner of the University of Pennsylvania, died today from typhoid-pneumonia.

Taylor was the first colored man ever picked to carry the American flag on his breast in Olympic championships, running in the 400-meter race and in the relay event.

In the summer of 1904 Taylor visited England and France, and won the majority of his races.

CALIFORNIA.

VARSITY WORK DIVERSIFIED.

BASKETBALL TEAM MAY COME SOUTH TO PLAY.

California Crew Has Good Material but No Coach and Coulson of Cornell May Come to the Coast—Cross-country Run Scheduled to Be Contested Tomorrow.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

UNIVERSITY OF CALIFORNIA, Nov. 30.—The anual interclass cross-country run is to be held Wednesday, December 2, and will be the last contest of the term. An alumnus has offered a handsome cup to the class winning the event and a considerable number of men have been in training for it. Christie has had out all the veteran distance runners at cross-country work as well as the freshmen who plan to enter the long races next term.

Weather permitting the run will start at 2 and will cover a course of about seven miles. Between thirty and forty men are expected to start, prominent among them being Clabaugh of Anaheim, Gaines, winner of the two-mile in the big meet last year, and Hobart, who took third in the same event, Casey and Boydston, both 'varsity men, will also run. Casey is counted upon by many to win the event.

The interclass basketball series has been won by the freshmen, who defeated by decisive scores the teams of all the other classes. Manager Mathews is negotiating for a series of intercollegiate games with Stanford. Four years ago basketball was introduced as an intercollegiate contest by the two universities, but was dropped after the one season by Stanford because of lack of interest and discouragement over defeats. California has abundant material for a strong team this season and the many devotees of the sport in the university are hoping that the intercollegiate series may be arranged. If games are not scheduled with Stanford, Mathews is hoping that a flying southern trip can be made and games played with Pomona, Whittier, Occidental, U.S.C. and St. Vincents.

The sports and pastimes trophy cup in women's basketball has been won by the seniors, who as juniors captured the trophy last year as well. From the material at hand the women expect to have a team even stronger than that which so decisively defeated Stanford in the two games played last year. The customary games are also being scheduled with Miss Head's school and Mills College.

Rowing men seem to be considerably at sea as to the man who will act as coach this season. Coulson of Cornell has been offered the position but it seems that his acceptance hangs upon whether or not he is given a position in the law department as an instructor. At present at Cornell he is one of the instructors in the law school as well as acting as assistant coach and he desires the same sort of a position if he comes to California.

Fall training has been under the supervision of the upper classmen on the crew of last year. Little work has been done with the candidates other than freshmen, but the latter have been put through hard training. The present freshmen class possesses a large number of big husky men and the material that has turned out for the freshman crew shows much promise.

While the uncertainty as to a coach clouds 'varsity prospects somewhat, the fact that seven out of the eight men on last year's winning 'varsity in addition to the coxswain, will return, makes the situation quite bright. Capt. Witter will be in his old position at stroke, which he has rowed for the last two years. Dignan will again be out for No. 1; Ball for No. 2; Schroeder for 3; P. Ashley for 5; Robertson for 6, and Davidson for 7.

McSpadden and Myers, both 'varsity coxswains, will be out. McSpadden steered the shell that won from Stanford last spring, while Myers held the ropes in the 1907 'varsity race and in the race with Washington at Seattle last June. Evans, who rowed on the 1907 crew, has returned to college and will be out, as will Sperry, who just missed getting into the shell in place of Schroeder last spring. In addition to these veterans several of the strongest men from the freshman crew of last season will be out and will push some of the 'varsity men hard for their seats.

DISPOSES OF MILLIONS.

GRAND RAPIDS (Mich.) Dec. 2.—The will of Delos A. Blodgett, multi-millionaire lumberman, who died a month ago, was opened today. The bulk of the estate, estimated at between $10,000,000 and $12,000,000, is left in trust to three young children of Mr. Blodgett by his second marriage. To the widow is left $150,000, an annuity of $10,000 and the homestead, with liberal means of support.

POPE MUCH IMPROVED.

ROME, Dec. 2.—The Pope, who has been suffering from a cold for several days, was visited by his physicians this morning. Their report set forth that the Pope is much better today and stronger than he was yesterday.

Bad Breath and Sour Stomach

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There is no necessity to suffer the humiliation, chagrin and discomfort of bad breath, biliousness, sour stomach, gastritis, sluggish liver, etc., when a little lozenge of charcoal will cleanse the stomach and make it pure and sweet.

Do not drug yourself when a simple little natural charcoal made from fragrant willow branches, sweetened with honey, will add tone to your stomach, liver and intestines, rapidly absorb gases and stop foul odors of all kinds.

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A little charcoal lozenge dissolved on the tongue after meals will also keep the stomach fresh and clean. Charcoal is justly called the scrubbing brush for the stomach. The old monks of medieval times cured bad cases of stomach trouble, cast out devils from the system of man by feeding such a man charcoal.

Scientific men of today believe in the great strength of charcoal for the cure of human ills. Too much of it cannot harm one. The system craves it just like an animal needs and craves salt every so often. Charcoal goes into the stomach gently and is welcome, it settles down through the action of the stomach, and filters through all the food, absorbing gas, aiding digestion and giving tone to the juices, so that when the food goes into the intestines, and there meets other digestive fluids, the charcoal holds the impurities and thus keeps them from the blood.

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BY

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3RD ACT.—The Poetry of Motion.
4TH ACT.—The Art of Good Style. —General Instructions.

COSTUMES.

Mme. Yale will wear four different costumes of beautiful design and coloring. Her perfect figure will be artistically displayed.

MUSICAL PROGRAM.

Mme. Yale's Physical Culture Exercises will be given by her with fascinating grace to the strains of sweet music, rendered by the Theater Orchestra.

Those attending will enjoy a beauty Culture treat impossible to describe.

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Tickets for Mme. Yale's lecture may be obtained free of charge by applying for them now at the Toilet Goods Department of Bullock's. The tickets are free with each purchase of any of the Yale preparations at time of applying for ticket.

Lecture will be given promptly at 2:30 p.m. Ladies are kindly requested to be seated at that time.

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED PARTY TO write comical sketch for vaudeville; must be a "screamer;" have good people for a funny one. Apply between 10 and 12 today, to LEO CHAPMAN, room 18, 306½ E. First st.

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WANTED— Help, Female.

WANTED—25 YOUNG WOMEN FOR TELegraph work; experience not necessary. F. D. MACKAY, Manager, 542 Central ave., Los Angeles.

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WANTED — EXPERIENCED COLLEGE girls; also starch work ironers. Apply at once, YOSEMITE LAUNDRY CO., Pasadena.

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WANTED—EXPERIENCED OFFICE GIRL for dye works. Call Thursday before 10 a.m., 1012 W. 19th.

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WANTED—GIRLS TO WORK IN BOX FACtory. Call at 2110½ SANTEE ST.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS TAILORESS. Apply 814 E. WASHINGTON ST.

WANTED— Help, Female.

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WANTED — FAMILY COOK, REDLANDS, $35; second girl, Pasadena, $30; girl for mixed work, $25; man and wife as butler and cook, $75; cook for 10 days, $1.50 day; cooking and downstairs work, $25; another, $30; second girl, city, $30; one for Santa Barbara, $25; upstairs and laundry, $25; waitress, Hot Springs, $30; another, $25; housegirl, Pasadena, $30; San Gabriel, $30; Covina, $25; Montecito, $30; Hollywood, $30; many city places to assist and housegirls, $25 and $30. HAWLEY & FORGRAVE, 254 E. Broadway.

WANTED— Cook, sanitarium, country, $40 etc.; cook, restaurant, Randsburg, $40 etc.; cook, restaurant, country, $35 etc.; housegirl, New Mexico, $30 etc.; girl, mixed work, Imperial Valley, $30 etc.; housegirls, $30 etc., $25 etc.; $20 etc.; lady barber, Arizona, $18 week. HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116 E. Second st.

WANTED—CASHIER AND CLERK FOR bakery; clerk, French girl preferred; 2 candy packers; 1 meat carver; 2 chambermaids; 2 for general house; woman for hot cakes and waffles; 2 arm waitresses and 1 one-meal waitresses; woman to sew by the day. HOTEL TOURIST & REPORTER OFFICE, 205½ S. Main st.

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WANTED—WOMAN STENOGRAPHER TO act as private secretary to manager of wholesale house; must be a good correspondent and not afraid of work. Answer in your own handwriting, giving age, experience and references. Address A, box 175, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PUBLIC STENOGRAPHER TO occupy desk room on second floor of building across street south of Hotel Alexandria, in return for services answering 'phones, etc. Leave written application with E. P. WOOD, room 743, Hotel Alexandria.

WANTED—LADIES TO MAKE SOFA PILlow tops and art novelties at home; easy and beautiful work; taught free; pays $8 to $16 weekly. Call at store, 704 S. BROADWAY. Woman's National Art Exchange.

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WANTED—LADIES TO MAKE SOFA PILlow tops at home for wholesale house; steady work; good pay; experience unnecessary; limited instruction free. IDEAL ART CO., room 18, 415½ S. Spring st.

WANTED—COMPETENT STENOGRAPHER for wholesale house; must also be quick at figures. Salary $75 to begin. Apply COMPANY OF PUBLIC STENOGRAPHERS, 326 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—BUREAU OF SERVICE, PASAdena. Phones 745. Cook, boarding-house, under 40, $40; child's nurse, local experience, $30; kitchen helper, $20; 2 waitresses, boarding-house, $35.

WANTED—COMPETENT WOMAN FOR general house work in family of two; must be good cook. Call from 3 to 4 p.m. at 1210 UNION TRUST BLDG., corner Spring and Fourth sts.

WANTED—RECEPTION ROOM LADY AT once; must know how to handle coupons and finish; none but experienced need apply. DINGMAN'S STUDIO, 325½ S. Spring st.

WANTED—WOMAN TO WORK IN A RESTaurant; must understand something about cooking and general work. Call DENVER RESTAURANT, 1236 W. Washington.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GIRL TO RUN body ironer; steady work to right party. Apply MONROVIA STEAM LAUNDRY CO., Monrovia, Cal.

WANTED—A NEAT YOUNG WOMAN FOR general housework, family two adults, one child; can go home nights, if desired. 311 WHITTIER ST. 'Phone 51948.

WANTED—THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED cloak and suit saleslady; good pay. Apply KNICKERBOCKER CLOAK & SUIT HOUSE early, 549 S. Broadway.

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WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED—YOUNG MEN BETWEEN THE ages of 18 and 25 are taught to operate the linotype machine at THE TIMES LINOTYPE SCHOOL, corner San Fernando and College sts., Los Angeles. Good operators are in demand in every section of the country, and the pay is above the average. It is possible to learn it from three to six months. Apply to SCHOOL MANAGER for terms.

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WANTED—3 LADIES OR GENTLEMEN with good references can have without deposit, my holiday art novelties, original and beautiful, to sell in homes; not sold in stores; exclusive city territory given; earnest workers can make $5 daily until Christmas. Call at studio MRS. H. C. WILLIAMS, 408 California st. Right hand door off front porch.

WANTED — CENTRAL EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 446 S. Hill st. F8297; Broadway 1377. First-class help, furnished free to employers today; girls for general housework, $20 to $35; young girls to assist, $15 to $20; chambermaids, first-class hotel references, $20 to $25 etc.; waitresses and cafeteria girls, $7 to $10 week.

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WANTED—RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS, COMmencement salary $800. Many examinations soon. Preparation free. Write now. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Rochester, N. Y.

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WANTED — GERMAN GARDENER, ACcustomer to orchard work, desires position in the country. Address A, box 30, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION, BY A COMPETENT florist and gardener; single German, best of city references. Address GARDENER, 215 Boyd st.

WANTED—POSITION AS ADVERTISEMENT WRITER; CAN COMBINE WITH OTHER WORK. A. E. HAEBERTIN, 1478 E. 43RD ST.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED COLLECTOR; will take city collections on percentage basis. Address A, box 149, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY NIGHT SCHOLAR, YOUNG man, situation in private family with small wages. Address A, box 132, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—OUTDOOR WORK BY YOUNG man; well acquainted in city; highest references. Address A, box 44, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PAPER HANGING AND PAINTing; reasonable prices; all work guaranteed. MR. FIZY, Temple 1447.

WANTED—TO GET POSITION AS AUTOmobile cleaner, washer. Call up TAKAHASHI, Phone Main 5663 or F6898.

WANTED—TO WAIT ON TABLE FOR meals or small wages. THOMAS, Japanese Mission. Home 23857.

WANTED—POSITION AS PORTER IN HOtel, country or city; best of references. Address ZZ, box 58, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY FIRST-CLASS Chinese cook, who speaks good English. Phone MAIN 383 or A4669.

WANTED—JAPANESE BOY WANTS POSItion to help cook or general work; speaks English. TMA, 650 S. Grand ave.

WANTED — JAPANESE BOY WISHES house work, school boy, position in family. OUYE, 130 N. San Pedro st.

WANTED—BY AN A1 SALESMAN, POSItion in store or on the road. Address A, box 45, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, GOOD EXPERIenced man; good references. Address A, box 42, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS COLLECTOR OR any other work. Phone BROADWAY 2182. Good references.

WANTED—SITUATION BY ALL AROUND butcher, country preferred. Address A, box 65, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED— Situations, Male.

WANTED—POSITION AS BUTTER MAKER; am first-class; several years in last creamery, with best of recommendations; want plenty of work where they can afford to pay good wages; would milk if necessary; understand gasoline and steam engines; state wages, family, distance from school. Address B, box 14, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—ARE YOU IN NEED OF ranch hands, laborers, carpenters, blacksmiths, plumbers, cooks, waiters or any other help. If so call at HANSEN'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, Phone Main 325 or A4889. We furnish competent help of all kinds on short notice. Free of charge. Give us a trial.

WANTED—POSITION AS HEAD GARDENer or foreman on ranch, thoroughly experienced in all branches of garden and ranch work; good manager, strictly sober and industrious; married, no children. SCHMIDT, 603 W. 9th st. F3967.

WANTED—A COMPETENT MAN, WELL experienced in the butcher business, wants a position as manager, foreman or solicitor, with some packing house or first-class market in or out of city; capable to make good. Address T. J. S., 1326 East 22nd st., city.

WANTED—BY YOUNG MAN, POSITION with author or playwriter, for the experience only. Will give three or four hours daily without compensation. Address A, box 122, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION, CHAUFFEUR, BY Japanese, speaks English fluently; can run any kind of car and repairing; willing to work beside. City or country. FUJI, 628 S. Olive. JAPANESE MISSION.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED JAPANESE gardener wants situation; willing to learn taking care of automobile; can furnish best of references. Address GEORGE YAGI, V, box 170, Times Office.

WANTED—SITUATION AS CHAUFFEUR by Japanese, 3 years' shop and road experience; careful driver; do all repairs; sober and steady; best of references; go anywhere. Address IBA, 527½ E. FIRST ST.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, TYPEWRITer, wishes position on large cattle ranch, Arizona or New Mexico; willing to do other work if necessary. Address B, box 5, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FAITHFUL JAPANESE WITH best references, as first-class cook and house worker; wants situation in private family. Phone Sunset HOLLYWOOD 432 or 23071. FRANK.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED HOTEL MAN WISHES TO CONNECT HIMSELF WITH GOOD HOUSE; ANY DEPARTMENT. ADDRESS B, BOX 308, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — SITUATION, CHAUFFEUR, factory recommendations; well educated, careful driver; can repair all gasoline and electric cars. Address ED C., P.O. box 602.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN, BRITISH, wants any kind of work, used to the care of horses or cows, five years American experience. Address A, box 66, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION BY REGISTERED druggist, 20 years' experience; good salesman, reliable and capable of managing. Address A, box 39, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—AMERICAN, 32, FIRST-CLASS steady, reliable, honest, all around man, work of some kind; good worker, city or country. 633½ S. MAIN ST., room 34.

WANTED—EXCELLENT JAPANESE AUtomobile chauffeur wishes place; has good references, and waiter, house work. Tel. Main 5594. TSUHA, No. 437 Turner st.

WANTED—PRINTER, WITH CONSIDERable work on hand, wants position where can it can be done; high class work. Address A, box 68, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—ENGINE MACHINIST FOREman, all repair; best reference; will go anywhere; 25 years' experience. Address A, box 162, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION AS PRIVATE GARdener; am German, 30 years old and of clean habits. Address A, box 167, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY STEADY, REliable young Swede of good family on small ranch or private country residence. Address A, box 158, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED JAPANESE cook, in private family, city or country, and willing to do house work; has best of references. GEORGE, F1686; Main 6129.

WANTED—FOR A GOOD PAINTER OR paper hanger. Call 312 CALIFORNIA ST., or Phone A5626.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN GOING TO evening school, wants job driving automobile during day time for room and board. Address A, box 73, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS cook, who has many years' experience; best references, desires position in private family. HARRY, A3792, Main 2608.

WANTED—JAPANESE TEAMSTER, EXperienced pruning and milking cow, wishes position. Apply at 242½ East First st. Phone Main 5304. T. HAMA.

WANTED—WORK BY A YOUNG MAN, taking care of a few horses. I am a good worker and driver. Address B, box 204, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—JAPANESE STUDENT WANTS position of light work for his room and board, but no wages, in the vicinity of Pico st. and Westlake ave. 23664. FRANK.

WANTED—WORK IN GARAGE, BY YOUNG man, honest and hard working; has no experience in that line. Address X, box 114, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED TRAVELING salesman is open for engagement; will work city trade if rig is furnished. Address A, box 62, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY A YOUNG MAN of 18, 3 years' experience in grocery store; well acquainted with city; not afraid to work. Address J. W. S., 1306 East 22nd st., city.

WANTED—YOUNG MARRIED MAN WANTS position, running vacuum sweeper; can furnish references. Address B, box 380, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION BY YOUNG KOREan to answer door bell and phone, or as traveling companion; understands English well. K. S. KIM, No. 2 Olive Court.

WANTED— Situations, Female.

WANTED—EXPERT BOOK-KEEPER AND stenographer desires another set of books or good-paying position; references. Phone BROADWAY 1529.

WANTED—UP TO DATE WOMAN DESIRES position of chaperon, companion or secretary for board; references. Address B, box 12, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRESS desires washing and ironing in private family; wages $2 a day. MRS. ZIMMERMAN, 1114 San Julian st.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER AND CASHIER, experienced and competent, desires position; A1 references. Address DOUBLE ENTRY, A, box 152, Times Office.

WANTED—LADY WITH CHILD WANTS situation to do chamberwork; small wages, room and board. Address A, box 150, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — BY LADY WITH TWO CHILdren, housekeeping rooms in exchange for few hours' work; rear rooms preferred. Address A, box 168, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LADY, EXPERIENCED BOOKkeeper and conversant with all details of office work, desires permanent position. Address A, box 163, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS CASHIER IN respectable place of business by young lady with several years' experience. Address A, box 191, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS SWEDISH COOK wants position in private family or small boarding-house. 541½ S. SPRING. Phone Home 7164, Broadway 3323.

WANTED—BY TEL. OPERATOR, PLACE to work for room and board, close to Sunset office. Address B, box 209, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TRAINED NURSE WOULD LIKE nursing of any kind by day or week; charges reasonable. Address T, box 142, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — WOULD DO HOUSEWORK mornings or sewing in exchange for board and room. 'Phone F1774. WARD.

WANTED—SITUATION BY FIRST-CLASS skirt maker, capable of taking full charge. 817 S. OLIVE ST., room 7.

WANTED — POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER for widower by refined, well-educated lady. Address A, box 161, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SITUATION; NEAT, YOUNG woman, light housework; small adult family. 2520 TOBERMAN ST. West 2223.

WANTED—RELIABLE CHRISTIAN YOUNG woman desires position as housekeeper. MISS B. Phone South 70.

WANTED—POSITION BY 2 FIRST-CLASS colored cooks; good references. Phone MAIN 333, or A4669.

WANTED—WASHING, IRONING, HOUSEcleaning, by competent woman or man. Phone A9539, MAIN 1095.

WANTED—TRAINED NURSE WANTS PERmanent nursing; will help with housework. PHONE 71318.

WANTED—DAY'S WORK, LAUNDRY OR housecleaning. MRS. WHITE, A3604, Main 5041. Thursday, Friday, Saturday.

WANTED—BY COMPETENT STENOGRApher, good eastern references. Phone A6639, MAIN 1095.

WANTED — A1 STENOGRAPHER SEEKS permanent position; small salary to start. PHONE MAIN 2900. Room 58.

WANTED—A YOUNG WOMAN WISHES housework and cooking in small family. 617½ E. FIRST ST.

WANTED—A NO. 1 STENOGRAPHER AND book-keeper wants position at once. Call SOUTH 1833.

WANTED—SEWING IN HOMES, $1.25 AND car fare. MAIN 3635. References.

WANTED—COPY WORK BY EXPERIENCed stenographer. HOME PHONE F1289.

WANTED—POSITION BY LADY WITH hospital experience. PHONE A2869.

WANTED—POSITION BY AN EXPERIENCed child's nurse. Phone BOYLE 393.

WANTED— Situations, Female.

WANTED—POSITIONS FOR COMPETENT Swedish house girl, good cook and neat, good references; also places for cook and second girl, (German) city or country, both competent, good local references. MRS. PATTEN'S (formerly Miss Day) EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 218 S. Broadway. Main 832, A1432.

WANTED—A REFINED, CAPABLE AND thoroughly reliable middle-aged working housekeeper desires position in refined family of adults, where faithful and competent service is appreciated; good plain cook; economical manager. Address A, box 48, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION AS HOUSEKEEPER; light work in small hotel or rooming-house; understands thoroughly the care of house and linen; country preferred. F. W., 444 S. GRAND AVE., Los Angeles.

WANTED—REFINED NURSE OF MIDDLE age would like position as housekeeper in small rooming-house or care of children in refined widow's home; references exchanged. Phone EAST 1815.

WANTED — A RELIABLE, ELDERLY widow wishes a position as housekeeper for elderly gentleman, widower, or single lady. Sunset 'Phone Main 3263. 1287 OVERTON ST.

WANTED—PEOPLE'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 341½ S. Spring st. 'Phones Broadway 2251, A7764. All kinds of help supplied. Cooks, housegirls, waitresses, chambermaids, etc.

WANTED — HOUSE CLEANING, COOKING dinner, general housework, by day, $1.50 up; first-class work; high references; Scandinavian. Apt. 11, 803 WALL. Broadway 1262.

WANTED—RELIABLE WOMAN WILL care for invalid; can occupy position of trust; country preferred. B. F., 123 E. 4TH ST. Home phone A4286, Main 1319.

WANTED—AN EASTERN LADY WANTS situation as housekeeper for elderly gentleman or lady. 'Phone West 5431, or address A, box 167, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY DESIRES OFFICE position, (experienced.) PHONE 23681.

WANTED— Situations, Male and Female.

WANTED—GERMAN COUPLE WANTS SITuation, wife A1 cook and ironing; man to take care of automobile and general housework; gardener; a good caretaker; private home or family hotel, city or country. F. B. KOENIG, 2616 Hoover st.

WANTED—GOOD EXPERIENCED JAPanese couple, desires position in family; man as cook, with waiter, house work or with cook; man out any work. Address A, box 174, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — QUICK SERVICE, COLORED cooks, waiters, porters, mechanics, laborers, general housework; hotel work especially. COLEMAN'S EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 311 E. Second. Phone Broadway 2196, A2673.

WANTED—JAPANESE COUPLE WISHES situation, man as cook, wife wait on table and house work; many years' experience; both speak English well. G. T. HARA, 328 Jackson st.

WANTED—ARE YOU IN NEED OF A MAN and wife on ranch, one who can furnish references and guarantee their work. If so call up MAIN 257 or A4680.

WANTED—POSITION, JAPANESE COUPLE, first-class cook, with references; 15 years' experience; wife waitress. MIRUISHI, 628 S. Olive st. Main 1682.

WANTED—SITUATION BY MAN AND WIFE as lodging-house keeper, age about 45 years; experienced. Address A. GRAVES, 1234 Santee st.

WANTED—BY MAN AND WIFE, ON PRIvate place or ranch. Phone A5622. MAIN 1095.

WANTED— Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED — POSITION ANYWHERE IN garage, as general hand by thoroughly experienced, young Englishman; not a machinist. BURNLING, 226 14th st., Riverside, Cal. Phone Black 1425.

WANTED—A FEW BRIGHT MEN, CAPable of earning from $20 to $200 a week; references required. Apply between 1:45 and 1:30 p.m., W. A. GORDON, ground floor, Chamber of Commerce Bldg.

WANTED — AGENTS; NEW 300-CANDLE power Liberty Light; uses 1 cent gas 6 hours; sells on sight; big profits. PACIFIC GAS MANTLE CO., 542 Walter st., San Francisco.

WANTED—LADY AGENT TO SELL AN article all women need; most women buy; something new; easy to sell; big pay. Call at 330 S. HILL.

WANTED—AGENTS FOR THE BEST SELLing articles ever put on the market; big profits for men and women. ROOM 18, 415½ S. Spring st.

WANTED—LADY AND GENTLEMAN agents to sell Christmas photograph coupons. DORION STUDIO, 324 S. Spring st.

WANTED— Partners.

WANTED—PARTNER; A BUILDING CONcern has a demand for more new houses than it can build with its present capital, and wishes to take in a limited partner up to $10,000. All money and transactions put through a reliable trust company. You can be perfectly safe and turn your money three times a year with a 10 per cent. profit on each turn. Best of bank references. Address S.S., box 298, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE A PROPOSITION that would interest a business man with a little money, let me hear about it. If you are trying to get out from under, or have a fake scheme save your stamps. Address B, box 21, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $4000 TO INcrease business established four years, paying from $500 to $750 per month, that will stand rigid investigation. Address P.O. BOX 537, Goldfield, Nev.

WANTED—PARTNER TO MANAGE OFfice in old-established business; must have good references; salary to start $25 per week; $800 required. 311 I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 411 S. Main st.

WANTED—I HAVE OBTAINED A PATent on a toy or game that will sweep the country, and want partner with a little money to help place on market. Address B, box 1, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER, PARTY WITH about $800, go partnership with good farmer to raise hogs on alfalfa ranch in Imperial Valley, big money. Address X, box 320, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNERS IN OLD-ESTABlished downtown business; present income $300 per month; rare chance for enterprising man with small capital. Apply ROOM 314, 122 W. Third st.

WANTED—PARTNER, HONORABLE, CONgenial party; fine ground floor office; established business; $400. Address A, box 133, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MIDDLE AGED PARTNER, lady or gent, with $100; money secured. Address B, box 11, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A LADY PARTNER WITH $500 for a legitimate business. Address A, box 180, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED— Rooms.

WANTED — 1 OR 2 HOUSEKEEPING rooms, furnished, by two adults, close in; rent not above $8 month. Address A, box 142, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED— Rooms and Board.

WANTED—ROOMS AND BOARD IN PRIvate family by lady and two children, where children will have care after school hours; Westlake district. Address A, box 29, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED— To Rent.

WANTED — TO RENT 25 TO 50 ROOM lodging house, east of Main st., not over $2.50 per room, would consider west of Main st., not over $3.50 per room; we have the furniture ready to put in. Call in person Monday or Tuesday. J. R. RICHARDS HOTEL BROKERS CO., 321 Laughlin Bldg.

WANTED—TO LEASE FOR AT LEAST 1 year, 6 or 7-room bungalow, with all modern conveniences, by family of 4 adults. Rent not to exceed $300 per year. Prefer S.W. location. Address giving full particulars, N, box 107, TIMES OFFICE or Phone South 4840.

WANTED—A FURNISHED HOUSE IN city of about six rooms, well located; rent must be reasonable. What have you? Address BOX 96, Sawtelle, Cal.

WANTED—IN BUSINESS DISTRICT, NICE suite of rooms with private bath, suitable for first-class bath establishment. Address A, box 22, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—IN BUSINESS DISTRICT, NICE suite of rooms with private bath, suitable for first-class bath establishment. Address A, box 175, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT RANCH WHERE EVerything is furnished. Phone EAST 3387, or address A, box 131, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT ½ OF GOOD FIRST-class office. L. R. MYERS, 418 Union Trust.

WANTED— Work by the Day.

WANTED—A YOUNG WOMAN WISHES position in house work by the day; sleep at home. 1207 E. 27TH ST. Call or Phone Home 21948.

WANTED—DAY'S WORK OR LAUNDRY TO bring home, by good laundress; also rough dry. MAIN 9410.

WANTED— To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—PAYING ORANGE GROVES. H. G. HAGERTY, 304 Fay Bldg., 3d and Hill.

WANTED— To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—TO BUY.
A 7 or 8-room modern residence ... WEST ADAMS HEIGHTS. We ... two clients for such property, who ... to exchange lots valued at $2000 ... first payment. Please answer promptly.
HOLMES-WALTON CO., 604-6 GRANT BLDG., 4TH AND BROADW...

WANTED—I WILL PAY AS HIGH AS ... cash, direct from owner, for an 8 to 10 ... house, with all modern conveniences; ... 6th, Pico, Burlington and Harvard. ... details and location if your place is ... the money or more. Address by letter ... WEST 28TH ST., city.

WANTED—COTTAGE, PICO HEIGHTS ... near the end of the Griffith avenue car ... Offer in exchange a clear, corner lot, ... section of the city, valued at $700. SEE LUNDEEN FOR HOMES, 222-223 Central Bldg., 6th and Main.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE A 4 TO 6- ... cottage on easy terms, west side, ... 10th and Sunset. State full particulars ... cation, whether east, south or north ... only, also cash payment required. Address ... box 3, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — RESIDENCE OF 8 ... rooms, high ground, western part of ... must be modern and a bargain. State ... no objection to assuming. Give location ... full particulars. Address X, box 125, ... OFFICE.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE REAL ... One or two lots, southwest, not too far ... Will assume mortgage and give clear ... ranch near San Fernando for equity. ... HAWKINS, 123 S. Broadway. Home ... A7468.

WANTED—$5000 HOUSE OF ... rooms in walking distance of Polytechnic High School, in exchange for good ... ranch near Norwalk. O. L. STEVENS, ... Mason Bldg. F7280; Main 2813.

WANTED — WOULD EXCHANGE ... clear lots, Hollywood, value $100... equity in bungalow, north of 48th street ... Moneta ave., not over $2000. Address ... 228, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—WE WANT YOU TO K... that the recent fall off our books ... and we can sell or exchange your prop... Try us. J. GRANT KLING COMPANY, ... 324, 212 W. 3rd st.

WANTED — 8 OR 10-ROOM RESIDE... high ground; Wilshire district pre... garage; large lot; not over $10,000; ... full particulars, quick, waiting to get ... P.O. BOX 768.

WANTED—ROOMING OR APARTM... house to $6000, in exchange for ... and dairy ranch, $12,000, balance ... gage. ENRIGHT & SMITH, 325 S. ... way. A1832.

WANTED—WILL PURCHASE LOT IN ... shire section on second mortgage, ... and build fine house, (with ... mortgage.) W. N. HOLWAY, 609 ... Bldg. A1828.

WANTED — 7-ROOM MODERN ... southwest, about ... first payment ... grocery store on Spring, balance ... month. Address X, box 373, TIMES ...

WANTED—$500 LOT, FOR A HOME ... relinquishment, of 160 acres, the ... sickness makes this a snap. OSBURN ... CO., 405 Chamber of Commerce.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, A PIECE ... downtown improved real estate, worth ... $10,000 to $30,000. A. P. CHAPIN, ... curity Bldg. Home Phone Ex. 267.

WANTED—SIX OR SEVEN-ROOM ... tage in exchange for property at ... San Pedro st. This is A1 business ... fine owner. 732 E. 8TH ST.

WANTED—TO BUY, WANTED AN O... to sell me 5 or 10 acres of clear ... near Glendale or La Crescenta. ... RUTE, 604-608 Grosse Bldg.

WANTED—TO BUY NICE 5 OR 6 ... bungalow, near Menlo car line; ... $3000; give best terms. 404 CENTRAL ... Main 3202. F1235.

WANTED—LANKERSHIM RANCH ... Sale or exchange. Call at office ... STATION, or Broadway Land Co., ... Bldg.

WANTED—GOOD BUILDING LOT IN ... mont Square; must be cheap for ... dress A, box 10, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO BUY LOT; WILL ... equity of $400 in my 6-room new ... as first payment. WEST 365.

WANTED— To Purchase, Miscellaneous.

WANTED — WE BUY ANYTHING ... don't want, one piece or house full, ... second hand ladies' or gents' clothing, ... hats, furniture, carpets, stoves, ... glassware, bric-a-brac, trunks, valises, ... bags, old gold, silver, brass, copper, ... lead of all kinds, invalid chairs, sewing ... Call up Home A1234, BROADWAY ...

WANTED — SECOND HAND CLOTHES, etc. We positively pay highest price ... ladies' and gentlemen's second hand ... shoes, trunks, valises, bedding, ... carpets, china, glassware, cutlery, ... and all manner of sporting goods ... calls will receive prompt attention. ... MAIN 2637.

WANTED—HIGHEST PRICE PAID ... household and office furniture. Give us a chance to figure on your ... fore disposing of them. Largest ... store in Los Angeles. JAMES COLGAN & CO., 711 to 715 S. Spring st. Main 3054, F5622.

WANTED—FURNITURE. WE PAY H... EST CASH PRICE FOR OFFICE ... GOOD CLEAN HOUSEHOLD FURN... IN LARGE OR SMALL LOTS. COLGAN'S. 325 S. Main st., opp. P. E. Depot. Ring up F5697. Main ...

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WANTED—TO BUY YOUR FURNI... one piece or house full and then ... cash or exchange. We want a good ... house and a restaurant outfit. All ... swered promptly. SKEELE BROS. ... Main. F7011, Main 2842.

WANTED—SELL OR EXCHANGE ... old furniture. We have thousands ... tomers waiting to buy it. 'Phone ... 1137. Home F8171. COLYEAR FURN... CO., 509-511 S. Main.

WANTED — TO BUY FURNITURE ... household goods. If you have one ... house full, we will pay you one-third ... than others. 'Phone us. Main 1137, ... F8171. COLYEAR'S, 509-511 S. Main.

WANTED—AN AIR COMPRESSOR, ... gasoline engine, suitable for an artesian ... Write particulars and prices to ... BROS. CO., P. O. box 446, Fresno, Cal.

WANTED—HOUSEHOLD GOODS, ... ture, carpets, any quantity. Highest price paid. RHOADES & RHOADES, ... S. Main st. 'Phones Main 1286, F1285.

WANTED—FOR ART CURIOS, ... jewelry, silverware, laces, old paint... engravings; will pay the highest ... W. WASHINGTON ST., near Figueroa.

WANTED — BUY HOUSEHOLD FU... tings, bankrupt stocks, showcases, ... cash or exchange. Both 'phones. ... BROS., 311 Main.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE, SECOND ... furniture, stoves and carpets. See ... disposing; will pay you more. 'Phone ... way 1781. LEVY'S, 529 S. SPRING ST.

WANTED — HIGHEST PRICE PAID ... household goods; any amount. L. A. ... TION AND COM. CO., 730 S. Spring and ... Main. F1719; Broadway 1607.

WANTED — DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, ... gold, antiques; highest prices given. ... CROUCH, jeweler, 343 S. Broadway.

WANTED—DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, ... pay cash; get my offer; fair dealing. ... REID, 142 S. Broadway, room 128.

WANTED—DIAMOND, CLEAR ... stone about one carat. WILLIAMS ... Hill st.

WANTED — SECOND-HAND POP... oven; must be in good condition. ... N. E. WILSON CO., 28th and Hoover.

WANTED—HIGHEST PRICES PAID ... second-hand clothing. Main 6850. ...

WANTED—DIAMOND SOLITAIRES, ... cash. SCHEPPS, 444 S. Broadway, ...

WANTED — CASH PAID FOR FEA... beds. 750 SAN PEDRO. Main 1104. ...

WANTED — TO BUY FURNITURE ... quantity. Ring up F1328.

WANTED—TO BUY SANITARY COT, ... ing bed or davenport. F1544.

WANTED— Miscellaneous.

WANTED—RHEUMATISM CASES. ... pay cash for them. 308 SAN FERNA... BLDG.

WANTED—DIRT MAY BE DUMPED ... HERE. CORNER BOYLSTON & ...

TO LET— Furnished Rooms.

TO LET—$1.50 UP, DESIRABLE ... rooms, one for 4 people, $25 per ... W. 27TH.

TO LET—SUNNY SUITE, WALKING ... tance. Call morning, 137 N. GRAND ... A7823.

TO LET — SINGLE AND HOUSEK... rooms. THE CRANBROOK, 100 S. ...

TO LET—2 FRONT ROOMS FOR ... keeping, $12; single room, $7. 123 S. ... UEROA.

TO LET — FURNISHED HOUSEKEE... room, $1.75, $3 week. 548 E. PICO ...

Classified Liners.

TO LET— Furnished Rooms.

TO LET — AT HOTEL OHIO, 317 N. Broadway, opposite Courthouse, ... trance, elegantly furnished rooms ... a day, $2.50 weekly and up. ... room, free; also baths. Running hot ... water. Best place to stop for the ... close to theaters and business.

TO LET — HANDSOMELY FURN... rooms and suits, with or without ... vator, hot and cold water; rates ... outside rooms. THE ALDINE, ...

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED ... front room in a beautiful private ... all home comforts, housekeeping ... reasonable rent. Call after 4 p.m. ... BURLINGTON. Phone Home ...

TO LET—LARGE, NICELY FURN... sunny front room, in upper flat; ... Westmoreland Place; private family; ... from Pico Heights car; very reasonable ... VERMONT AVE.

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TO LET—FURNISHED COTTAGE, 3 ROOMS and bath; near car line. 1601 W. 35TH Place. West [..].

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TO LET — $14 MONTHLY, 3 FURNISHED rooms; bath, gas, electricity. 116 N. CLARENCE. Phone Boyle [..].

TO LET—2-ROOM HOUSE, FURNISHED OR unfurnished, with large chicken yard, $7 a month. [..] MORTON AVE. Temple [..].

TO LET—6-ROOM COTTAGE; ALL MODern conveniences furnished. Apply [..] W. 37TH PLACE.

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED 6-ROOM cottage. [..] W. 24TH ST.

TO LET—FURNISHED; 6-ROOM MODERN house, $40 per month. [..] W. 22ND ST.

TO LET— Furnished Houses.

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FURNISHED AND UNFURNISHED HOUSES, FLATS, APARTMENTS.
AN EXCLUSIVE LIST OF ATTRACTIVE NEW AND MODERN PLACES.
ALL SIZES AND DIRECTIONS.
AT VERY REASONABLE RENTALS.
LISTS AND INFORMATION FREE.
WE MAKE HOUSE HUNTING EASIER.
20 Years Renting Los Angeles Property.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER CO.,
[..] S. HILL ST.

TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, mission furniture; fine condition; West Adams section; 2 car lines; rent reasonable. RAMEY BROS., 207 Mercantile Place. F[..], M. [..].

TO LET—NEWLY FURNISHED 4-ROOM cottage, only $17 per month. Inquire [..] LORENA ST. Take Euclid-ave. and Indiana-st. car; off at Lorena st., walk 2 blocks north. Home phone [..].

TO LET—FURNISHED 5-ROOM COTTAGE; house rents for $16; will give use of furniture for use of 1 room; modern; close in; near car line. Apply at once, [..] N. BEAUDRY.

TO LET — IN WEST ADAMS DISTRICT, modern house, 7 rooms, furnished, with piano; lawn, flowers, shade; 4 bedrooms. [..] W. 25TH ST. West [..]. Take West Adams car.

TO LET—WHEN IN NEED OF NICE HOUSE or bungalow, see us.
TALBOT & CO.,
A[..]. 220 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Broadway [..].

TO LET—FURNISHED; BEAUTIFUL FIVE-room home; bath, glass porch; gas, electricity, lawn, flowers, shrubbery, etc. $30 per month, water paid. Apply [..] ESSEX ST.

TO LET—REAR COTTAGE WITH 4 ROOMS, $18 per month, furnished, 12th and Hill. See OWNER, 1222 S. Olive.

TO LET—$25; FURNISHED, SIX ROOMS. [..] E. ADAMS. Hooper or Watts car.

TO LET— Stores, Offices, Lodging-Houses.

TO LET—

WE HAVE ONE STOREROOM ON MAIN STREET AT $100 PER MONTH, 20 FEET FRONTAGE, CLEAN SIDE OF STREET, NEARLY OPPOSITE PACIFIC ELECTRIC BUILDING. EASILY WORTH $175 PER MONTH. APPLY AT ONCE.

WE ALSO HAVE ONE GARAGE ON EAST SIXTH STREET, NEAR MAIN, (BRAND NEW.) WILL STORE 8 MACHINES, GOOD WORKROOM, LIGHT AND AIRY; $150 PER MONTH. IT IS IN THE VERY HEART OF THE CITY. BUILDING JUST COMPLETED AND PRACTICALLY FIREPROOF, IT'S VERY CHEAP.
—SEE—
W. M. GARLAND & CO.,
324 HUNTINGTON BLDG.

TO LET—FOR LEASE, STORES.
Beautiful store, 18x60; high ceilings, plenty of light, on Third st., near Broadway; fine location for ladies' tailor, hair dresser, barber shop, or millinery store. This is good. Can get 5 years' lease, cheap.
Fine location for a shoe store, gents' furnishings or stock broker on Third st., near Spring. Price is right. Can get a good lease for right party.
Location on Broadway, between Third and Fourth sts., at reasonable rental.
Location for garage, 50x117, for lease for term of years.
See us for new location. We can save you money. See Macomber or Seeley, with C. WESLEY ROBERTS CO., 217 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. Home A[..], or Main [..].

TO LET—
BROADWAY AND EIGHTH STS.
$100 PER MONTH.
Two store rooms, with basement,
25x100 feet.
1-4 block from corner of Eighth and Broadway.
W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO.,
313-314 Wilcox Bldg.

TO LET—GROUND FLOOR.
—PART OF STOREROOM—
SUITABLE FOR OFFICE PURPOSES, 110 E. FOURTH ST. (SAN FERNANDO BLDG.;) LOBBY AND OUTSIDE ENTRANCES; FRONT AND SIDE WINDOWS; VALUABLE FOR SIGNS, SPLENDID LIGHT. REASONABLE. LONG LEASE. APPLY ON PREMISES TO READ ADVERTISING AGENCY, (Incorporated.)

TO LET—HANDSOMELY FITTED OFFICE and exhibit spaces or deskroom, also basement in premises occupied by new branch office of The Times at 527 S. Spring st.; splendid location; suitable for California products display and well adapted for headquarters of excursion, steamship or railroad enterprises, as well as mining exhibits. Established information bureau now conducted in connection. For particulars and rental call apply on PREMISES, or to MANAGER'S OFFICE, in the Times Bldg.

TO LET—
Good location for a florist or magazine stand in the entrance of a large office building on Spring st.
One large office, fine light and air; 21x30, on second floor; fine advertising accommodations; also a suite of 2 rooms, very reasonable. C. WESLEY ROBERTS CO., 217 Citizens' National Bank Bldg. Home A[..], or Main [..].

TO LET—
GOOD LOCATION FOR Stable, or other business; two blocks from Fourth and Main sts.; 120 ft. on Wall st., [..] ft. deep to 13-ft. alley; two-story building; 60 stalls; will accommodate 150 horses; also large storage and floor space. Apply EDWARD D. SILENT & COMPANY, [..] S. Hill st.

TO LET—IN THE PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE Insurance Bldg., beautiful large, outside offices; also on the fourth floor, small offices, suitable for any one, from $8 to $12.50; there is a telephone exchange and public service on this floor. Apply to AGENT, 4th floor.

TO LET—NICE LIGHT SUITE, ALSO front suite; light single offices; one connecting with dentist's reception room; also 1 connecting with doctor's reception room; modern office building. Inquire 509 DELTA BLDG., [..] S. Spring.

TO LET—DESK ROOM IN FINEST OFFICE in Security Bldg., with use of stenographer and telephone, large outside rooms, nicely furnished, near elevators; rent reasonable. Call room 906, SECURITY BLDG.

TO LET—
$10—106 S. Beaudry st.
$15—1002 or 1011 E. Ninth st.
$20—11[..] E. Seventh st.
T. WIESENDANGER, 207 S. Broadway.

TO LET—A STORE, FURNISHED, WITH soda fountain, counters, cases, shelves and living-rooms; good location for drug store; town; close in; rent $15. Address 319 W. [..]TH ST.

TO LET—GROUND FLOOR SPACE IN MODern office building, centrally located; 2 entrances; several show windows; long lease and cheap rent to right party. TELEPHONE F[..].

TO LET—STORE, 215 S. SPRING ST., SWELL location for jewelry, optical goods, real estate or any line of business. See M. POLASKI, 215 S. Spring.

TO LET—BRICK STORE, WITH BASEment, 306 and 308 S. LOS ANGELES ST.; also the 25-room lodging-house over the store. See owner on premises.

TO LET—DESK ROOM TO YOUNG ATTORney in a law and collection office, that can turn over business to him. Address A, box [..], TIMES OFFICE.

TO LET—SWELL OFFICE IN H. W. HELLman Bldg., with partition; long lease and cheap. See BLENKIRON BROS., [..] Broadway. F[..].

TO LET—STOREROOM, [..]; NO. [..] TEMple st., good for store or hall; rent very cheap. Phone A[..]. HUBBELL, 502 Bullard Blk.

TO LET—CORNER BRICK BUILDING, [..] E. Ninth st., (near Central ave.) suitable for light manufacturing or store; low rent. Phone MAIN [..].

TO LET—OFFICES FURNISHED TO YOUR liking with telephone and stenographer service if desired. 321 SAN FERNANDO BLDG.

TO LET—UP-TO-DATE STORE, $35; WELL located; also 24-room apartment house, reasonable rates. ROBIN CO., [..] W. 16th.

TO LET—A STORE, GOOD LOCATION FOR a drug store; town, close in. Address 319 W. 16TH ST.

TO LET—¼ OF STOREROOM FOR THE month of December, located at [..] S. Spring. Inquire CALIFORNIA CITY LAND CO.

TO LET—DESK ROOM WITH PHONE, IN fine light office; rent reasonable. Address B, box 1, TIMES OFFICE.

TO LET—WELL ESTABLISHED EMPLOYment office; license paid. [..] S. SPRING. A6913, Main [..].

TO LET—STORES, PICO NEAR FLOWER. F[..]. MARSHUTZ, [..] S. Broadway.

TO LET— Farming Lands.

TO LET — THE BEST 40 ACRES NEAR Santa Ana, good artesian well, flows 30 inches; the place for the good farmer. Address EMIL KIRCHNER, [..] N. Main.

TO LET— Miscellaneous.

TO LET—LARGE ROOM, SUITABLE FOR shop; right in heart of city. Inquire [..] W. SECOND ST. Penny Arcade.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE — MODERN EIGHT-ROOM house, every convenience, on lot 75 feet front, on Vermont ave., 200 feet deep; beautiful lawn, orange, lemon and fruit trees; garden, chicken runs, barn, electricity; 5-cent car fare; 300 ft. from car line; Colegrove, near beautiful Hollywood; am compelled to sell immediately, only $6250, terms, $1500 cash, balance in one, two and three years. If you want a genuine California home place, with ideal country surroundings, but with every city advantage, see this at once. CHARLES H. LEHMAN, 340 W. Fifth st., with ROBERT MARSH & CO. Tel. Ex. 175.

FOR SALE—
$[..]
NEAR HARVARD AND WASHINGTON.
MODERN 8-ROOM RESIDENCE in choice location. One of the most artistic and thoroughly modern houses to be seen, having oak floors, beam ceilings, tasty paneling, an elegantly appointed den; has French doors opening in side porch; cement porch and cobblestone trimmings; must be seen to be appreciated. SEE THIS AND YOU WILL NOT REGRET IT. Our auto is at your service.
HOLMES-WALTON CO.,
504-6 GRANT BLDG., 4TH & BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—
STUDY THESE THREE OPPORTUNITIES.
FIRST—
Modern 15-room mansion and 1¾ acres in Santa Barbara. Beautiful elevation and extensive grounds. Garage. Has cost $[..],000. One-third of cost will buy it, or exchange and part cash.
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A new 13-room residence, (southern architecture,) every modern convenience. Sun porches, garage. Owner compelled to go South permanently; price $18,000. Includes new furniture and a $700 piano; will take an exchange or any good securities. No cash required. Santa Barbara, Cal.
THIRD—
640 acres of level land in Pinal county, Ariz. A fortune for the man that will operate it. 200 inches of water at 40 cents an hour. Investigate this; rent it or buy it, or owner would exchange for Los Angeles property.
Address POSTOFFICE BOX [..], Santa Barbara, Cal.

FOR SALE—$[..]; $1250 CASH, SOUTHwest; beautiful new bungalow; 7 large rooms and den; [..]-ft. lot; wide driveway with porte cochere with granite columns; granite front, cement veranda; hardwood and polished floors throughout house; fine furnace piped to every room; massive stone mantel in end of living-room; wide window seats; beautifully paneled walls, beam ceilings; den contains writing desk, bookcases and seat, and opens to veranda through French window; elegant solid brass lighting fixtures, unusually attractive dining-room with cove in center; buffet across entire end is finished in plate and leaded glass; large china closet with bent doors; complete butler's kitchen; wide center hall; 3 large bedrooms all finished in white enamel and curly redwood, large breakfast-room may be used as fourth bedroom if desired; rear sun porch; large cement cellar; driveway; large garage; this property is best value in section and "different" from anything else. It's worth seeing. PITTSBURG REAL ESTATE CO., 311-17 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—
NO FAKE ABOUT THIS.
PROPERTY MUST BE SOLD IMMEDIATELY.
Or owner will lose all that he has in it. The lot alone is worth $2500, and you could not build the house today for less than $2500; southwest.
$[..]— ONLY $600 CASH. —$[..].
Balance $[..] per month.
6 large rooms and reception hall; hardwood floors in all rooms on first floor, except kitchen; 3 large bedrooms and complete bath on second floor. All conveniences. Corner lot, 50x150 to alley; lawn, fruit trees, chicken yard. This is the greatest bargain that has been offered for months. There is no mortgage on it; $30 monthly payment pays all. If you want such a property, come early; it should be sold before noon, today. ([..].)
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 W. Third st.

FOR SALE — FURNISHED BUNGALOW; southwest, $[..]; $1500 cash; must sell at once; elegantly furnished bungalow, 6 large rooms and unusually complete butler's pantry; house is "different" and finer in arrangement than others; hardwood and polished floors throughout; very large full front living-room, paneled and beamed, with massive brick mantel in one entire end, of unusual design, with bookcases built in the brick; large paneled dining-room opens to veranda through wide French doors; swell front buffet across one end; the kitchen and butler's pantry are unusually complete and attractive; three large bedrooms, bath and wide center hall are all finished in white enamel; beautifully improved front and rear lot; elegant oak and leather mission furniture all bought and built for the house; fine china, 2 large ranges and heater; exceptional value; owner going east. Will sell unfurnished. PITTSBURG REAL ESTATE CO., 311-17 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—
MUST BE SOLD THIS WEEK.
A great deal of the money, a little more than you can naturally expect, 8-room, 2-story modern residence, located on one of the beautiful streets between Washington and 16th; high, sightly ground; hardwood finish throughout; large built-in buffet; beamed ceilings, dining-room 16x20; living-room, 16x[..]; hall ways, den and library. Lot 50x[..]; grounds highly improved; actual valuation at least $[..]. Must sacrifice and offer this beautiful property for $[..]. Must be sold this week.
SEE LUNDEEN FOR HOMES.
[..] Central Bldg., Sixth and Main sts.

FOR SALE—
BEAUTIFUL SIX-ROOM BUNGALOW ON WEST [..]TH STREET NEAR WESTERN AVENUE.
$[..].
NOTHING EQUAL UNDER $4500.
This is an unusually well built bungalow, strictly up to date in every detail. Large rooms, well arranged, light and airy. Hardwood floors, beam ceilings, handsome mantel, built-in buffet, bookcases, window seats and solid brass fixtures.
If you are looking for a nice home at a big snap, don't fail to see this; it will not disappoint you. $[..]; $[..] cash and balance to suit.
"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WILDEY COMPANY,
[..] Laughlin Bldg. Main [..], Home Ex. 767.

FOR SALE—$4000; $500 CASH, NEW BUNGAlow, southwest, 6 large rooms; cobblestone front and large columns, wide cement front and side veranda, hardwood floors, large living-room 14x28, massive mantel, Spanish leather seat in corner, writing desk and large bookcases. Dining-room opens to veranda through wide French doors, unique buffet finished in art and plate glass, decidedly different from anything you have seen. Lighting fixtures of hammered copper, 2 bedrooms, unusually attractive bath and buffet kitchen in white enamel, rear bedroom may be used as breakfast room. Cement cellar with entrance from screen porch. Easy terms. PITTSBURG REAL ESTATE CO., 311-17 Laughlin Bldg.

FOR SALE—
$[..].
MODERN 8-ROOM RESIDENCE
NEVER OCCUPIED.
East front. Lot 65x17[..].
Dining-room, living-room and den have beamed ceilings and hardwood floors; breakfast room and four large bedrooms with hardwood floors. Furnace, laundry trays, large closets, lawn. A magnificent home on high ground.
[..] GRAMERCY PLACE.
WEBB & JAMESON, Owners,
Phone for Appointments.
Phones A[..]; Main 1704. 310 Bryson Blk.

FOR SALE—
For Beautiful and Artistic Bungalows,
For Cottages, a dream in Architectural beauty,
For the best bargains and easiest terms,
Call on GEO. G. MYERS & CO., REAL ESTATE, 303 Central Bldg., 6th and Main.
Money wanted; Security the best; Interest 10 per cent.

FOR SALE—INGLEWOOD; 5-ROOM MODern house; bath; hot and cold water; electric light; lot 50x[..]; 2 chicken yards; trees, flowers, cement walks, etc. This is one of the finest places in Inglewood; right on car line; only $[..]; half cash. (3.)
JONES & RYDER LAND CO. (Inc.)
218 W. Third st.

FOR SALE—$[..] CASH.
PRICE $[..].
BALANCE MONTHLY.
6-room new, strictly modern bungalow, in the swell Wilshire district; lot 60x120; [..] CAHUENGA BLVD. Take Western-ave. car, get off at Cahuenga Blvd., go north ½ block. West [..].

FOR SALE—$[..]; 6-ROOM BUNGALOW ON 43rd st., near Figueroa. New, oak floors, beam ceilings, den, full sized lot. Would take good lot as part pay. A[..]; Main [..]. O. A. VICKREY & CO., [..] S. Hill st.

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—
ONLY $[..].
VICINITY BERKELEY SQUARE.
MODERN 2-STORY RESIDENCE.
7 rooms and reception hall; there are oak floors, beamed ceilings, paneled dining-room with tasty buffet and artistic fixtures; handsomely appointed den or library; hall, den, living and dining-rooms richly finished in dark woods. Cabinet kitchen, stationary wash trays, etc. Mortgage $[..], at 6½ per cent, for 3 years. Will exchange equity of $[..] for good lot or lots in West Adams, Wilshire or Oneonta Park.
HOLMES-WALTON CO.,
504-6 GRANT BLDG., 4TH & BROADWAY.

FOR SALE—
HERE'S YOUR CHANCE.
ONLY $[..] CASH.
SMALL MONTHLY PAYMENTS.
Exceptionally nice 6 room modern bungalow on West 42nd street, close to Moneta ave.; rooms all large and well finished throughout, in the very latest bungalow style, having hardwood floors, beam ceilings, fine mantel, built in buffet, bookcases, window seats and solid brass fixtures; large lot, all in lawn, trees and flowers. This place can be bought for only $[..], which is way below anything in the vicinity.
"IT PAYS TO SEE US."
EDWARDS & WILDEY COMPANY,
[..] Laughlin Bldg. Main [..]. Home Ex. 767.

FOR SALE—
$2250— —$2250.
$2250— —$2250.
Two-story modern residence, on high ground; built less than 4 years; lot 50x200; have it rented now at $25 per month.
1½-story modern bungalow, built less than 18 months, located on high ground; lot same size for $2250. For valuations we absolutely guarantee that nothing better can be found in Los Angeles or vicinity.
SEE LUNDEEN FOR HOMES.
[..] Central Bldg., Sixth and Main sts.

FOR SALE—
A REAL SNAPPY BARGAIN.
$4300— ONLY $[..] CASH. —$4300.
A well built modern 9-room residence, on large lot, well located, near Congress and Adams; up-to-date in all respects; hardwood floors; tinted walls and ceilings; 2 fireplaces; fancy mantels; all conveniences; complete bath; 5 large bedrooms; this property is located within 1 block of car; north front; one of the best buys that has been presented to us recently. Come early.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 W. Third st.

FOR SALE—MUST SELL—
$[..]—4-room modern house, between Main and Moneta; lot 40x135; house cost owner $[..] to build; property cheap at $[..]; am leaving city; will take $[..] cash; $[..] can remain.
ANOTHER SACRIFICE.
$[..]—Have an unfinished house of 12 rooms with storeroom below; barn, 12x24; lot 42x150; all fenced; about $[..] would complete the building; this property would then be worth $[..] to $[..]; owner must have some cash for his equity; the mortgage is only $[..].
See WM. R. UBER, with BEN WHITE, [..] Bryson Blk.

FOR SALE—BARGAIN, SOUTHWEST.
$[..]—[..] CHURCH AVE.
NEW 2-STORY BUNGALOW ON HIGH GROUND NEAR WASHINGTON ST.; 7 LARGE ROOMS; ARTISTIC DESIGN AND FINISH; STONE FRONT, CEMENT PORCH; OAK FLOORS, BEAMED CEILINGS, PANELED WALLS, FURNACE, FIREPLACE AND ALL MODERN CONVENIENCES. LIBERAL TERMS. COMMISSION TO AGENTS.
A[..]. A. S. KOYER,
[..] LOS ANGELES TRUST BLDG.

FOR SALE—$4400—HERE IS YOUR OPPORtunity to get a 7-room modern bungalow at the right price, and on easy terms; it has all the conveniences of the up-to-date bungalow, including hardwood floors throughout; beautiful electric fixtures; large living-room and reception hall; stairway to attic, above which makes large storeroom; close to car; gas, electricity and sewer; all connected; 50-foot lot; $[..] cash, $[..] month including interest.
Phone—Ex. [..]. L. F. ANDREWS,
Main [..]. [..] N. B'way. Room [..].

FOR SALE—
NOTE THE TERMS.
$2200— ONLY $200 CASH. —$2200.
BALANCE, EASY MONTHLY PAYMENTS.
2 5-room cottages; tinted walls; fireplace; complete bath; pantry; gas and electricity; east fronts; just the thing for employees of Salt Lake or Santa Fe Railroads, within the call district.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 W. Third st.

FOR SALE—
Brand new 4-room California houses; will go this week at $[..] to $[..] each; easiest terms; like rent; call at once and I will help you make a start; only 5 minutes; own your own home, never pay rent. GUS B. HILL, owner, with Strong & Dickinson, northwest corner Second and Broadway; ground floor. Main 1373, A[..]. Tract office, South [..].

FOR SALE—2-3 ACTUAL VALUE; NEW 6-room bungalow, never occupied; situated on W. 29th Place; this is a very choice home; is all up-to-date in every particular; large lot; north front; has every modern convenience; owner MUST sell, and will take $3250 for it; $[..] cash, balance as you like it. S. L. ALDERMAN, 319 Grant Bldg.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT.
BEAUTIFUL LOT, 50x[..].
Hollywood way; lovely lawn, shrubs, vines, roses, fruit and shade trees; fine mountain scenery; 5c fare; school, church, grocery, etc.; near nice 4-room new house, on rear lot; room for nice house in front; street work done; snap at $[..]; terms or cash; take cheap lot as part. SQUARE DEAL REALTY CO., [..] S. Broadway.

FOR SALE—
FOUR ROOM CEMENT BLOCK HOUSE ON STEPHENSON AVE.
All modern improvements, principal street, big lot to alley; close to everything; yellow car line, 5c fare, transfers, etc.; price $[..]; $[..] down and $[..] monthly, including the interest, buys it. See GEO. W. MOORE, [..] Pacific Electric Bldg. Home Ex. 345. Broadway [..].

FOR SALE—
NEW 5-ROOM BUNGALOW, CLOSE TO STEPHENSON AVE.
Lot 50x150 feet, only $775; $[..] down, $[..] monthly, including the interest; schools, churches, stores, yellow car line; 5-cent fare, transfers, etc. See Home Ex. 345.
GEO. W. MOORE,
[..] Pacific Electric Bldg.

FOR SALE—$[..], WESTLAKE.
9-room modern house, hardwood floors, beam ceilings, den, breakfast room, furnace and cellar, two fireplaces, five bedrooms. Lot 60x[..]. This property is a grand bargain. You should investigate if you want this location. A[..]; Main [..].
O. A. VICKREY & CO., [..] S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM COTTAGE, $[..]; $100 down, $[..] month, 5c fare; 3 blocks west of Hollywood car on Avery near Benefit; modern, bath and toilet; also snap in two cottages; on one lot, on E. [..]th st., near Central ave.; $[..]; business and residence lot. GUS B. HILL, Owner, with Strong & Dickinson, N.W. corner Second and Broadway. Main 1373. Home A[..].

FOR SALE—40x41, STORY-AND-HALF 8-room house on 65x135-ft. lot; has furnace, hardwood floors, 16x23 living-room, etc.; bedrooms, etc.; cobblestone and cement porch and pillars; 4 fine orange and lemon trees; everything complete; $[..]; terms. 344 LEMONA AVE., near Franklin, Hollywood. Main [..], or [..] Lemona ave.

FOR SALE—$4300; WORTH $[..].
A[..]. HOLLYWOOD SNAP. Main [..].
9-room beautiful home, beam ceilings, oak floors, cement cellar, 2 fireplaces, 4 bedrooms, large closets. This property is the biggest bargain in Hollywood that we have ever handled. Lot 50x[..].
O. A. VICKREY & CO., [..] S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—ELEGANT HOME IN WEST Adams district; cost $[..] a year ago now; sacrifice for $[..]; $[..] cash; lot [..]x[..]; 8 large rooms, many closets, every modern convenience; large garage with cement floor, cement driveway, walks and cellar. OWNER, Home [..].

FOR SALE—$[..]; $[..] CASH, BALANCE mortgage, or $[..] cash, and $[..] in 1 year; beautiful 6-room strictly modern house, on W. 21st st., just completed; it is first-class every way and worth much more. See OWNER here. JENKS & HUGHES, [..] Bryson Bldg. Phone A[..].

FOR SALE—
NEW 6 ROOM ALPINE PLASTERED house in nice locality. Plumbing and all improvements first class. New and ready to move into. Not only a home but a good investment. $[..]. Cash required $[..]; then $[..] monthly including the interest. See GEO. W. MOORE, [..] Pacific Electric Bldg. Ex. 345; Broadway [..].

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, A BEAUTIful home on corner of Harvard Blvd. and [..]th, two story, six rooms, entrance hall, bath, pantry, closets, polished floors downstairs. Lot 40x150, bearing fruit trees and berries. Must sell on account of sickness; good investment. Call [..] HARVARD. West [..].

FOR SALE — BEAUTIFUL NEW BUNGAlow, six rooms, sleeping-rooms upstairs, elegant location, hardwood floors downstairs, paneled wainscoting, white brick mantel, elegant plumbing, stationary tubs, etc.; lot 40x[..]; good barn, 18x24; 45th near Figueroa; price $[..], $500 down, easy payments. See H. O. GRIFFITH, 530 Grosse Bldg. Main 5034, F1271.

FOR SALE — OR TO LET; 5-ROOM NEW bungalow, all modern improvements; 15 minutes from Fourth and Spring; fine view. Take Hollywood cars to Mohawk st. Apply OWNER, [..] Mohawk st. Phone E[..]. F[..].

FOR SALE—NEW 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, near 46th and Figueroa; thoroughly up to date. Sell on very easy terms.
630 GRANT BLDG.
A[..]. Main [..].

FOR SALE— Houses.

FOR SALE—BUILD YOUR OWN HOME.
GET IT TO SUIT YOURSELF.
WE MAKE PLANS TO SUIT.
FOR ANY KIND OR SIZE HOUSE.
BANK REFERENCES.
A[..]. ELVIN J. CURRY,
M. [..]. 613-13 FAY BLDG.

FOR SALE—AT A SACRIFICE, OWNER GOing east, handsome 9-room corner residence, modern in every respect; swellest residence district in the city, with 3 of best car lines, garage and beautiful garden; also stock in one of the best gun clubs in Bolsa Chica district. See owner mornings. [..] ROMEO. Phone [..].

FOR SALE—
$12,000—EASY TERMS.
No. 2711 Ellendale Place, large 11-room house; lot [..]x[..].
A[..]. HAY & HARDWICK,
Main [..]. [..] Bryson Bldg.

FOR SALE—A REAL BARGAIN, FINE plastered 4-room house, barn, shed, hen house, fine lawn, oiled drive; beautiful fruit and shade trees, all fenced; beautiful view; lot 50x[..]; 2 car lines, 5c fare. Quick, $[..], terms. BUSH, [..] Sunset Blvd. Temple [..].

FOR SALE—$[..]; HANDSOME 6-ROOM bungalow, 47th st., ½ block from car line; only $[..] cash.
$[..]—Lovely 5-room cottage, buffet, bookcases, polished floors, ½ block Moneta car; only $[..] cash. N.W. corner [..]th and Moneta. Phone SOUTH [..].

FOR SALE—WE HAVE ONE OF THE NICest homes you wish to see; 8 rooms, modern place on boulevard, Huntington Park, worth $[..]. Come and look at it and make us an offer. (4.)
JONES & RYDER LAND CO. (Inc.)
218 W. Third st.

FOR SALE—5-ROOM COTTAGE, MODERN; high ground, Euclid Heights; all improvements paid for. Lot 40x130 to 15-foot alley; ½ block from car line. Mortgage $[..]. Price only $2250. 18 months old.
MINES & FARISH,
315 South Hill.

FOR SALE—
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FOR SALE—5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, west of Central, near Seventh st.; price $[..]; this is only 2 blocks from the new Union Depot, and is at least $[..] under the market; must be sold. WAGGONER REALTY CO., [..] GRANT BLDG.

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Make us an offer on N.E. corner 45th and Grand ave. car line, 40x130; 4 large walnut trees; cheapest inside lot $1000; $200 takes it, $450 cash. YOUNG & ADAMS, 305-7 Laughlin Bldg. A7966, Broadway 2915.

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$500—5th ave. nr. Ramona blvd.	50x152
$500—5th ave. nr. Ramona blvd.	50x152
$600—6th ave. nr. Ramona blvd.	50x152
$1100—5th ave., elevated lot	110x160
$1150—5th ave., elevated lot	110x160
$1200—4th ave., east front, elevated	110x160
$2400—3d ave., elevated, fine view	220x160
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FOR SALE—WRITE J. W. HORN CO., Petaluma, California (the poultry center,) for free list of fruit and poultry farms.

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Land on Whittier line, in tracts of 5, 10, 15 or 20 acres, sandy loam soil; price very low.
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Lot 60x135, located in the very best residence section of Hollywood, north of Prospect, close to churches, schools and stores, and surrounded by beautiful homes; as I must leave for business reasons, I will sell at the snap price of $1050.
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$1200—Large lot, 50x[illegible], just west of Hotel Hollywood and 300 ft. north of car line.
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We have fine homes for sale from $2500 to $40,000; also nice modern homes for rent.
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Overlooking the beautiful San Fernando Valley. Fine old oaks and a splendid mountain view, situated on Second street, one and one-half blocks east of Glendale car line.
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FOR SALE—WHEN LOOKING FOR GLENdale property, before buying call at our office on Fourth st., at rear of P. E. station. CHANDLER & LAWSON, real estate agents, Glendale. Phone Home 761, S.S. 1821.

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FOR SALE—MOST IDEAL RICHLY FINISHed 8 room bungalow on one of our best streets, offered at a genuine bargain, also we have good buys in homes, $2500 to $20,000; come and see them. WASHBURN BROS., 1032½ Mission st., South Pasadena. Home [illegible].

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FOR SALE — 30 ACRES CHOICE FULL bearing navel orange grove, good buildings, $27,000, including fine crop nearly ready for market. Also 10 acres very choice, 7 acres 5-year-old Thompson navels, balance 3-year old Valencias, $3000. Both at Covina.
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Splendidly improved 7 acres, good buildings, on oiled, electric lighted street, 4 acres navel oranges, $7000, at Colton.
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City Phone F1279. Broadway 2883.

FOR SALE—SNAPS WITH CROPS.
$5500—5 acres bearing navels, close Covina, house, barn, plenty water, big crop.
$14,000—14 acres navels and Valencias, close Covina, 2 houses, barn, team, implements, plenty water, good crop, low price.
WELSHANS & COLE, 434 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—$4500, $2000 CASH, 7 PER CENT mortgage for balance; 10 acres navel oranges in frostless belt. Trees 10 years old. Plenty water, good crop, on the trees; near live city. This is a fine grove and at about 2-3 value. JENKS & HUGHES, 224 Bryson Bldg. Phone A5600.

FOR SALE—TEN ACRES NAVEL ORanges, 1600 to 1800 boxes on the trees, in the town of Ontario. Ten shares of San Antonio water goes with the place. If sold within the next week will accept $10,000 for the place. F. E. UNHOLZ, Ontario, Cal.

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FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU IN real estate worth $1500 to exchange for a paying business on Spring st., between 2nd and 3rd sts.? Address A, box 11, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—$1800; MORTGAGE $500. Four-room California house; nice lot; near Figueroa. Want rooming-house or stock or lot. MAXON REALTY CO.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT TO EXCHANGE property at 27th and San Pedro st., 100x135 feet, with some improvements, for alfalfa ranch, clear. See owner, 706 E. 27TH ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—ALHAMBRA IMPROVED income and vacant property, value $8000, no incumbrance, for L. A. southwest section. Address A, box 145, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM HOUSE, LOT 40x120, clear, at Ocean Park, for city; will assume. A. BOEKER & CO., 405 Laughlin Bldg. A5397; Main 3281.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR CHICAGO VAcant, 53-ft. lot, on Vermont ave.; will add cash. Address OWNER, 301, 140 La Salle st., Chicago, Ill.

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FOR EXCHANGE—WHAT HAVE YOU IN real estate worth $(?) to exchange for a paying business on Spring st., between 2nd and 3rd sts? Address A, box 71, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—$1900; MORTGAGE $900. Five-room California house; nice lot; near (?). Want rooming-house or stock or lot. MAXON REALTY CO.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANT TO EXCHANGE property at 27th and San Pedro st., 100x125 feet, with some improvements, for alfalfa ranch, clear. See owner, 706 E. 27TH ST.

FOR EXCHANGE—ALHAMBRA IMPROVED income and vacant property, value $3500, no encumbrance, for L. A. southwest section. Address A, box 145, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM HOUSE, LOT (?), clear, at Ocean Park, for city; will (?). A. BOEKER & CO., 406 Laughlin Bldg. A(?); Main 2861.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR CHICAGO VACANT, 25-ft. lot, on Vermont ave.; will add cash. Address OWNER, 307, 145 La Salle st., Chicago, Ill.

FOR EXCHANGE — 6-ROOM BUNGALOW, Glendale, and clear lots, high, to exchange for 5 or 6-room residence; will assume. MAXON-NOWLIN CO., 114-115 Stimson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — SIX-ROOM MODERN, new bungalow, southwest, Moneta way; I will accept lot first payment. Address X, box 202, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—$1500 EQUITY NEW SIX-room bungalow, southwest; want vacant lots; will pay or take cash difference. Owner. Address A, box 70, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—4 ACRES IN WALNUTS, with 5-room California house, in beautiful location, for Los Angeles cottage. Address A, box 204, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—80 ACRES GOOD LAND, Terra Bella district. Exchange for equity in house or pay cash difference. MAXON-NOWLIN CO., 114-115 Stimson Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—CITY OR COUNTRY. J. J. PHELPS, 525 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE— Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE — BY H. C. DECKER, 457½ S. Broadway. Phones F2225; Main 4177.
Cottage, 5 rooms, for rooming-house ... $3500
Cottage, 6 rooms, for clear lots ... $3000
10 acres, improved, for cottage ... $(?)
Apartment house for cottage ... $(?)
Orange grove, 14 years old ... $12,500
8-room cottage, on W. Jefferson ... $(?)
5-room bungalow, for hotel ... $(?)
Walnut grove, 14 years old ... $13,000

RANCH OF 237 ACRES FOR COTTAGE OR vacant lots; good house, barn; fine timber; 50 acres, cultivated; price $3500. See DECKER.

10-ROOM HOUSE ON PICO ST., exchange for rooming-house, hotel or apartment house.

HOTEL, 26 ROOMS, EXCHANGE IMPROVED OR UNIMPROVED REAL ESTATE.

APARTMENT HOUSE, 64 ROOMS, OWNER WANTS LOS ANGELES REAL ESTATE.

APARTMENT HOUSE, 90 ROOMS, OWNER WANTS CITY OR COUNTRY REAL ESTATE.

FOR EXCHANGE—CAFETERIA FOR REAL ESTATE; PRICE $5000. BEST IN CITY.
104-ROOM HOTEL, FOR LOS ANGELES, SAN FRANCISCO hotel or real estate.
480-ACRE RANCH, IMPROVED, FOR REAL ESTATE; PRICE $16,000.
19-ROOM TRANSIENT ROOMING-HOUSE, for cottage.
APARTMENT HOUSE, 43 rooms, for real estate.
7-ROOM COTTAGE, for hotel or apartments; price $4250.
56-ROOM CORNER HOTEL, FOR ANY KIND OF PROPERTY, $4500.

$3500 MORTGAGE FOR EXCHANGE ON FIRST-CLASS REAL ESTATE IN Seattle; drawing 8 per cent. What have you to offer?

FOR OAKLAND, SAN FRANCISCO OR BERKELEY PROPERTY; 5 ROOMS AND STORE IN LOS ANGELES; WILL pay cash difference. Price $7000; near in property.

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FOR EXCHANGE—
WE OFFER THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF MAIN AND ADAMS, 60x180, AT $38,000. INCOME $100 PER MONTH.
THE NORTHEAST CORNER OF E. SEVENTH AND CERES AVE., 50 FEET FRONTAGE, AT $900 PER FRONT FOOT, OR $52,400; NOMINAL RENTAL. TOTAL $90,400.
THIS PROPERTY IS CHEAP ON A CASH BASIS, YET WE ARE AUTHORIZED TO OFFER THESE TWO PIECES OF PROPERTY FOR ANY PIECE OF PROPERTY ON SPRING, MAIN, HILL OR BROADWAY, SOUTH OF THIRD ST., IF PRESENTED AT A MARKET PRICE.
PAY CASH, IF NECESSARY, OR ASSUME. WHAT HAVE YOU TO OFFER?
SEE W. M. GARLAND & CO., 324 HUNTINGTON BLDG.

FOR EXCHANGE—20 ACRES, REDLANDS, for city, clear.
Lot suitable for factory; want cottage.
20 acres near city, cash and realty.
5-room cottage for ranch.
Apartment-house for orange grove.
21 acres choice land, close to growing city; 25 acres oranges and lemons; ranch highly improved and in first-class condition; price $35,000; will take close-in city property, improved, up to $25,000.
Corner lot, fashionable residence district, $5000; want auto and cash.
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FOR EXCHANGE—MODERN 10-ROOM RESIdence, in suburb of Kansas City, on paved street; lot 82 by 265, finely improved; value $4000. Want cottage here.
Stock of merchandise, store building, 9-room residence, furnished, small town in Fresno county; total value $20,000. Want ranch or eastern income considered.
630 acres, all under cultivation, within 40 miles of Los Angeles, good soil, and level. Value $12,000, clear. Will assume or pay cash difference on income up to $16,000.
7-room modern cottage, San Gabriel, lot 73 by 235, 20 full bearing orange trees; value $5000; mortgage $2400; due 2 years. What can you offer for equity?
WAGGONER REALTY CO., 521 Grant Bldg. Main 5467. A6445.

FOR EXCHANGE—WE HAVE ONE 3-ACRE and one 5-acre improved ranch in Newmark, 8 miles from L. A., for cottage in L. A.
Nice 9-room modern house on Brooklyn ave., for orange grove or alfalfa ranch.
Store on South Park, rents $40 per month, will trade for Pasadena, L. A., Hollywood or Long Beach, house and lot.
2 nice homes in southwest for ranches.
10 acres at La Crescenta, highly improved with nice house, 4 acres in grain, balance in fruit, for L. A., Oakland, Berkeley, San Pedro or San Diego.
Fine bunch of lots in Long Beach with mortgage of $3000 now due and can't handle it, will give some one a good trade who can either for eastern or California. (4)
JONES & RYDER LAND CO., (Inc.) 218 West Third st.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$3600—6-room cottage, Ocean Park on Hart ave. All modern, in excellent shape, the interior best of finish. This property pays 11 per cent. Want residence in South Pasadena or Alhambra up to $7000.
FRED'K A. HOLMES & CO., 218 Wright & Callender Bldg. F1154. Main 3460. Formerly of Holmes-Walton Co.

FOR EXCHANGE — A FINE SUBURBAN place near Los Angeles, 104 acres of ground, large house, beautiful grounds; price $45,000; incumbrance $15,000; take eastern and some cash for equity; might consider clear for equity.
2 flats, 2 cottages, price $18,000; mortgage $7000; 10-acre orange grove, price $14,000; mortgage $3000; trade both for clear eastern or grove alone for city.
160 acres eastern farm land, price $1600, clear; exchange for Long Beach or Santa Monica.
ROUSE & ANDERSON, 308 BRYSON BLK.

FOR EXCHANGE—
STOP—LOOK—READ.
Will trade a 40-acre lemon grove for $1000 per acre in the city limits of a factory town in Southern California.
Electric cars through the property; water for domestic and irrigating purposes; gas, telephones and everything to make you comfortable.
Adjoining land has been subdivided on a basis of $3000 per acre. This property is all clear and I want clear Los Angeles or big acreage.
R. T. COCHRAN, 318 P. E. Bldg. Home F8292.

FOR EXCHANGE—$20,000; 45 ACRES, ON car line, near Rivera, 28 acres 5-year-old walnuts, balance fine alfalfa land, 10-room house, barn, outbuildings, plenty cheap water; take good clear income, at cash value, L. A., Long Beach, or San Pedro, to full value; no agents.
$13,300—10 acres oranges and lemons, on Euclid ave., Upland; 5¾ acres navels, 4¼ acres lemons, all full bearing; income $2600; take up to $3500 L. A. cottage, cash value, $4500 cash, balance mortgage; no agents.
Address L. DECIUS, 205-7 Laughlin Bldg., with YOUNG & ADAMS. 'Phones Broadway 2915, A7866.

FOR EXCHANGE—FOR SALE, OR MAY exchange the finest corner apartment-house in the finest section of St. Louis; rented to a fine class of tenants. Bank's appraisement, with full particulars and photos.
—ALSO—
For exchange—What is offered for 3600 acres at San Jacinto county, Tex., price $25 per acre?
—ALSO—
What is offered for 63 acres near St. Joseph, fronting Lake Michigan, value $300 per acre? NEW YORK REALTY CO., 254 S. Broadway, rooms 1 and 2. 'Phone A6835.

FOR EXCHANGE—
We have two clients for 7 or 8-room houses on W. Adams Heights, who wish to exchange well-located lots as first payment. Value $2500.
HOLMES-WALTON CO., 504-6 GRANT BLDG., 4TH & BROADWAY.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Choice suburban home at Westgate, between Sawtelle and Santa Monica, close to car line, two acres with seven-room house and other improvements. Price $5500; mortgage $1500; want clear Los Angeles property.
Two Huntington Park lots, nicely located. Want Los Angeles lot or cottage.
Six-room cottage, Long Beach, $4000; mortgage $1500 and $2000 cash. Want 5 to 15 acres improved.
A. P. CHAPIN, 501 Security Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES, FINE SOIL, 7-room modern cottage, fine shade trees, barns and outbuildings; good flowing wells, wind mill and tank. All kinds fruit and berries. About 150 chickens, pigeons and ducks. All kinds farming implements; 2 good horses. Can rent plenty of land adjoining. Price $3500. Will exchange for good restaurant or apartment house. (3)
JONES & RYDER LAND CO., (Inc.) 218 West Third st.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$5000—Equity in beautiful home, nicely furnished, southwest, for first mortgage or contracts.
$15,000—Worth of mortgages and contracts for clear property.
V. E. STOCKWELL & CO., 304 Grant Bldg. A2814. Main 1583.

FOR EXCHANGE— Real Estate.

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ONLY $5000.
VICINITY BERKELEY SQUARE.
MODERN 2-STORY RESIDENCE.
7 rooms and reception hall; there are oak floors, beamed ceilings, paneled dining-room with tasty buffet and artistic fixtures, handsomely appointed den or library; hall, den, living and dining-rooms richly finished in dark woods. Cabinet kitchen, stationary wash trays, etc. Mortgage $3300 at 6½ per cent., for 3 years. Will exchange equity of $2500 for good lot or lots in West Adams, Wilshire or Oneonta Park.
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FOR EXCHANGE—$16,000; 80-ACRE OLIVE grove, house, barn, granary, windmill, well, ½ mile from depot; mortgage; want Los Angeles; what have you?
$100,000—Mortgage $25,000; finest suburban improved business property in this county; want clear ranch or grain lands.
Want foothill property, vicinity Glendora, Azusa, Duarte; will give choice of the choicest vacant. Let me hear from you.
GEO. W. HAINER, 206 Frost Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Lot 50x200, Long Beach, value $3000; party wants house in Los Angeles, $5000 or less and will pay balance or assume.
160 acres good land in Nebraska, well located and worth $50 per acre. Owner wants California property.
M. M. DAVISON & SON, rooms 204-6 Wilcox Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—GOOD FARM LANDS IN Corcoran district; want Pasadena or income Los Angeles. Address A, box 303, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—TWO HIGHLY IMproved farms, near Bolivar, Missouri, 300 acres, all under high state of cultivation, 2 sets buildings, all under fence. Price $65 per acre. Want orange grove. Will assume a little if necessary. No incumbrance on this property. Located on Frisco Road. WESTERN REALTY & INVESTMENT CO., 434 S. Hill st. F5614; Broadway 2470.

FOR EXCHANGE—6-ROOM HOUSE, TACOMA, Washington, gas, electric light, sewer, 2 lots, graded street, cement walks. This is a nice property. Price only $2500, clear. Owner wants Los Angeles residence, will assume up to $3000. (3)
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FOR EXCHANGE—A FINE 3-STORY FLOUR mill, in good condition; running; located at Birds, Lawrence county, Ill.; in the big oil field; mill now leased for $75 per month; can give possession March 1; 1 acre of oil land goes with mill; price $10,000; will trade for property in or near Los Angeles. Address J. R. KING, Caddo Hotel, Shreveport, La.

FOR EXCHANGE—$4500; MORTGAGE $2000. The most attractive bungalow you have seen in that beautiful high ground district west of Westlake, north of WILSHIRE. 6 large rooms. Will take desirable vacant lots or $1000 cash; balance easy.
C. J. GARDNER, owner, 625 Merchants' Trust Bldg. A2393, Bdwy. 1235.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Choice income property, double frontage, improved with modern apartment house, West Adams district. Fine lot. Will exchange $13,000 equity for residence or Pomona and vicinity ranch property. Income over $(?) a year. Address A, box 68, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—HAVE 20 HALF ACRE lots at The Palms, street work all in, which I will exchange for city vacant or improved; also country, from $600 to $15,000. This is as nice a location as either Hollywood or Pasadena and only a few minutes from city and ocean. THOS. S. WADSWORTH, 330 Douglas Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — WILL TRADE MY equity of $20,000 in finest improved ranch in Imperial Valley; postoffice and railway station on ranch; this will be a fine townsite proposition later.
JOSEPH R. LOFTUS CO., 125 W. Sixth st. Main or F 5518. Member L. A. Realty Board.

FOR EXCHANGE—LARGE LOT AND TWO cottages in nigger town, Boyle Heights; rents pay 7 per cent. net, on $2700. Price CLEAR, $1500. Want good equity in a house, $3000 or less. Address TAYLOR, 204 North Fremont or call Phone A6075. Before 9 a.m., at noon hour and after 4 p.m.

WANTED—I OWN A LOT AT IVANhoe on the Glendale car line, 250 feet by 110, facing on a main street. I also have $1100 cash; want cottage and lot with alley, inside city limits; might assume small amount. See my agent, W. D. GREENOUGH, 314 East 5th st.

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FOR EXCHANGE—WILL BUY PROPERTY all over on which you cannot make your payments; also buy and exchange mortgages anywhere and everywhere. We have plenty of money on hand and make quick deals. NEW YORK QUICK DEAL REALTY CO., rooms 1 and 2, 254 S. Broadway.

FOR EXCHANGE—10 ACRES, 6 ACRES navel oranges, good house and barn, crop now on trees, about $1500. Price $8500; mortgage $2500, 7 per cent., will exchange for city residence. (3)
JONES & RYDER LAND CO., (Inc.) 218 West Third st.

FOR EXCHANGE—
Trade your vacant lot for a home.
I will build you a beautiful 8-room 2-story house on your vacant lot and take flat mortgage for entire amount. Open for only 3 contracts. C. J. GARDNER, 625 Merchants Trust Bldg. A2393; Broadway 1235.

FOR EXCHANGE—11-ROOM BRICK BUILDing, modern; lot 25x125 to alley; rented for $30 per month; 15 minutes' ride to business part of city of Chicago; all clear; price $3500; want cottage and lot or lot or close-in acreage in Los Angeles; might assume some. Apply W. D. GREENOUGH, 314 E. Fifth.

FOR EXCHANGE—A FINE 47-ACRE GROVE; 37 oranges, 10 lemons, 10 years old; finest water right, costs less than $100 a year, station and packing-house half mile. Price $500 an acre. Make offers. Consider eastern. A snap for a quick deal. PEDDER, 702 Johnson Bldg. A6790.

FOR EXCHANGE—HANDSOME 6-ROOM bungalow and garage; all modern improvements; W. Adams Heights, including furniture complete for housekeeping; magnificent interior; player piano; will exchange for first mortgage or sell at a bargain. Apply OWNER, 419 Douglas Bldg. Phone A8165.

FOR EXCHANGE—$25,000; FINE SEASIDE hotel, handsomely furnished; just the place where a man and his wife can make a good living, laugh and grow fat; mortgage $6000; want city property, including a good residence, for the equity. G. A. OYLER, 204 Frost Bldg. A7260.

FOR EXCHANGE—WILL EXCHANGE FOR clear city or ranch property in or near L. A., or a first-class auto, a new U. S. or Mexican patent of 12 claims on a ready-selling article on which there is 100 per cent. profit. Address Patentee, D, box 99, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—WEST ADAMS SECTION —A good modern 8-room residence, lot 50x150 feet; price $6500; mortgage $3500. Want lots or acreage for equity; submit offers.
Phones—A7363. Main 2282. ROBERT F. JONES. 612 Fay Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—WELL IMPROVED 6-acre ranch in Sonoma County, good orchard and buildings, water piped to house; price $5000. Want small ranch near Los Angeles or good house and lot. O. L. STEVENS, 508 Mason Bldg. F790; Main 3913.

FOR EXCHANGE—
$200 to $1000 clear lots for furniture.
$750 to $3000 clear lots for small rooming-house.
V. E. STOCKWELL & CO., 304 Grant Bldg. A2814. Main 1583.

FOR EXCHANGE—
SIT UP AND TAKE NOTICE:
I have a $1700 equity in four lots in South Hollywood, 2 corners, 2 inside, size 100x272, 1 block to car, 15 minutes' from Fourth and Hill; will trade; what have you? Address W, box 53, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—
7-room, modern, 1½-story bungalow, on high ground, close to car line; price $3500; want 5-room cottage or vacant lots.
See M. DRINKWATER, A8308. 201 Grant Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—A FINE HOME, NEW and modern and a half acre lot at Palms. Corners on Venice short line. Price $6000. What can you offer up to $3500, vacant or improved? THOS. S. WADSWORTH, 330 Douglas Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — MODERN 6-ROOM Swiss bungalow in best part of Hollywood, for home in southwest. Price $4500, clear. Might put in small amount of cash. Nothing but high class property considered. Address B, box 228, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—5-ROOM MODERN COTtage on E. 37th st., lot 40x120, fenced, flowers, trees. Price $3000. Will take vacant lot first payment up to $1000, balance time. (3)
JONES & RYDER LAND CO., (Inc.) 218 West Third st.

FOR EXCHANGE—LOT FOR GROCERY or what have you? Price $1200. Call at 602 E. 7TH.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEN WHITE WILL EXchange your property. 304 BRYSON BLDG., Second and Spring. Member L. A. R. B.

FOR EXCHANGE—WANTED GOOD ACREage in Southern California for eastern. WM. BATEMAN, Redlands, Cal.

FOR EXCHANGE—CHOICE S.W. LOTS clear for northwest lots. Owner, MISS McCREA, 610 Grand. F1403.

FOR EXCHANGE— Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE HARDWARE AND furniture store for cottage in city. See F. A. LAW, 423 Central ave. 'Phone F(?), Main (?).

FOR EXCHANGE—COTTAGE FOR STORE or acreage. OWNER, 523 Lorena st. Home 'Phone (?).

FOR EXCHANGE—POMONA INCOME FOR Los Angeles vacant. HARTLEY, 304 Bullard Bldg. 'Phone A(?).

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FOR SALE — TIMES COOK BOOK NO. 3 ready today, and until the edition is exhausted, is placed on sale the largest, most elaborate and comprehensive cook book of the series issued by The Times.
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DESKS FOR LESS.
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Office furniture is our specialty. Don't buy before seeing our stock. L. A. DESK EXCHANGE, 105 N. Bdwy., opposite The Times.

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CARLOAD LOTS A SPECIALTY.

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FOR SALE — NEW AND SECOND-HAND showcases. We are the largest manufacturers of showcases and store fixtures on Pacific Coast. Prices on application. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA HARDWOOD AND MANUFACTURING CO., general office and display rooms, 1200 E. Eighth st.

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FOR SALE—SQUARE PIANOS.
Why rent a piano when you can buy an elegant square for $5 down and payments of $5 each for a few months? We have real bargains in square pianos. See them.
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FOR SALE — 21 LARGE SECOND-HAND SAFES. ALL BARGAINS AND AS GOOD AS NEW. THE CHENEY-WEST COMPANY, 316-318 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

FOR SALE — NEW AND SECOND-HAND billiard and pool tables, bar fixtures of all kinds; easy payments. Send for catalogue. THE BRUNSWICK - BALKE - COLLANDER CO., 331 E. Third st.

FOR SALE—ABOUT 100 PAIR BALL-BEARing roller skates; a few pair Winslows, the balance Union Hardware Co.; 1 large Columbia phonograph, with a 42-inch horn; 1 8-day regulator clock. P.O. BOX 125, Upland, Cal.

FOR SALE—$5, GOOD SEWING MACHINE. Singer, $10; new Home, Domestic or Wheeler & Wilson, easy payments, rented $1.50 month. ARCADE CO., 511 W. 6th. Main 4217. F(?).

FOR SALE—PIANO.
Large cabinet grand piano. No reasonable offer refused; must be sold. Cannot describe piano; almost new. 1222A W. 12TH ST.

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FOR SALE — PAINTED PICTURE OF Christ in life size. Inquire of A. MACHNER, artist, end of Eagle Rock ave. car line, Box 214, Garvanza.

FOR SALE—TENTS, ALL SIZES, NEW AND second-hand tents for rent. WISE & DOWNEY, 506 E. Seventh. F(?), Broadway 2169.

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FOR SALE — SCALES, SHOWCASES, ROLL and flat-top desks, for sale at COLGAN'S WAREHOUSE, 1131 S. L. A. st.

FOR SALE—PART OF LEASE, GROUND floor, office building, centrally located. Snap to right party. Ring up F2960.

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FOR SALE — SWEDISH CROCHET BEDspread, star pattern. Particulars call TEMPLE 82.

FOR SALE—ELECTRIC COFFEE MILL AND platform scale. ANDERSON, 313 N. Main.

FOR SALE—LADY'S TICKET TO SAN Francisco, cheap; expires 5th. PHONE A2982.

FOR SALE—ROOFING PAPER. 10 PER cent. off. WALTER, 627 S. Spring. F1055.

FOR SALE—FIREPROOF SAFE, CHEAP. ANDERSON, 313 N. Main st.

FOR SALE—10,000 FEET 2-IN SCREW PIPE, 6½c foot, 138 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

FOR SALE— Furniture.

FOR SALE—ON TIME PAYMENTS, FURniture, stoves, carpets, rugs and household goods. Also roll and flat-top desks. We will furnish your home or office complete. You can get as little as you want or as much as you want. OVERELL'S, 700, 702, 704, 706 and 708 S. Main st. THE BIG STORE.

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FOR SALE—BEDROOM FURNITURE. CALL 127 E. 30TH PLACE.

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FOR SALE— Furniture.

FOR SALE—MONEY TALKS! THE GOODS must go! These values will go like wildfire. See us before you buy.
$1.00 Chair, hardwood, solid seat, 75c.
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$15.75 chiffonier, solid oak, large mirror, $12.
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We're closing out second-hand furniture.
$3.50 iron beds, like new, $1.50.
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"Anchor" coal and wood stove, cost $24, $8.
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Rockers, $1; chairs, 40c; commodes, $1.
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LEVY'S, Phone Broadway 1791.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE. OWING TO OUR limited space, will sell carpets, rugs, linoleum, dressers and everything needed in the HOME AT SACRIFICE PRICES.
Good cook stove, $3.50.
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Carpets, rugs, and linoleum greatly reduced.
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BUSINESS CHANCES— Miscellaneous.

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One of the best grocery and provision stores in beautiful Southern California town. Monthly profits $350 to $500. Price at wholesale invoice value $5500, $2500 cash, balance good security.
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$850 FOR DELICATESSEN, WORTH $1500. Best rooming-house district in the city; new and complete fixtures, oven, range, 2 refrigerators, fine steam table, etc. BARGAIN SELDOM OFFERED.
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Wholesale and retail; fine brick oven; complete, up-to-date outfit; 2 horses, wagon, harness; cash sales $45 to $50 day; not necessary to be a baker here.
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DRUGGIST WANTED—A CLEAN STOCK of drug sundries, cigars and stationery; up-to-date, new fixtures, including soda fountain; a splendid opportunity to add full line of drugs; new store, 20x60; fine front; location ideal; low rent; three years' lease. POMONA REALTY CO., 310 W. Second st., Pomona.

$600 BUYS A MONEY-MAKING 24-ROOM hotel and rooming-house; rent only $45; lease; French range, dining-room seats 38; in best industrial part of Los Angeles, and no competition; sickness in family. W. D. SMITH & CO., 430 S. Broadway, room 614.

WANTED—ONE OR MORE PARTIES WITH $30,000 to take over the control of a corporation, manufacturing an absolute necessity; no limit to its sale; will pay handsome dividends; positively a safe proposition. Address BOX 21, Union League Club.

ONLY $375; CORNER GROCERY.
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FOR SALE—GROCERY STORE; BEST BUY in the city; fine location and good trade; no soliciting; no dead stock; everything neat and clean; no agents; no commissions; no exchanges; if you want something good and see this you will buy it. Call up SOUTH 5209.

A FINE HARDWARE, TINNING AND plumbing business for sale in a prosperous country town; will invoice $2000. Half cash, balance time. Address N, box 193, TIMES OFFICE.

BUSINESS CHANCES— Miscellaneous.

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A BARGAIN IN COAL AND WOOD BUSIness; good location with established business. Ask no bonus; will invoice stock and fixtures. Owner cannot attend to business. Will trade for real estate or cash. Address B, box 11, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR EXCHANGE—$250 STOCK JEWELRY; will exchange for rugs, carpets, typewriter or what have you? Call after 5 o'clock to investigate. Phone 23257. 341 W. 17TH ST.

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$10,000 on income property, 6½ per cent.
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Bring in your property; money ready; no red tape.
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TO LOAN—MONEY LOANED TO SALARIED people just on your own name; no other security necessary; don't borrow until you see me; my system is the best for railroad men, clerks, book-keepers, street car men, and all others employees; business strictly confidential. NEWTON, 708 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

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TO LOAN—$5000 OR $6000 ON CITY IMproved property or will buy mortgages or trust deeds, money ready. W. ROSS CAMPBELL, 107-8-9-10 Security Bldg. Home Ex. 605; Main 60.

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TO LOAN—IF YOU HAVE A GOOD LOT we will furnish the money and plans and build for you on easy terms; no commission. E. S. WILLIAMSON & CO., Designers and Builders, 302 Grant Bldg.

TO LOAN—WE HAVE MONEY TO LOAN in sums to suit at 7 and 8 per cent. net. E. B. VAN HORNE & CO., A5125; Main 162. 508-509 Grant Bldg.

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TO LOAN—PRIVATE MONEY, OR WILL buy mortgages; deal directly and save commission. Address B, box 210, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

TO LOAN—PRIVATE MONEY, 7 AND 8 PER cent., any amount, on good security. RAMEY BROS., 207 Mercantile Place. F5485. Main 9356.

TO LOAN—PRIVATE PARTY HAS $3000 TO loan in sums to suit; no commission; can get immediate action. Address, giving phone number, Y, box 102, TIMES OFFICE.

MONEY LOANED ON FIRST AND SECOND mortgages, contracts, diamonds, life insurance; lowest rates. MECHANICS' LOAN CO., 436 Bradbury Bldg. A6670. Main 8219.

TO LOAN— ON UNIMPROVED OR IMPROVED. $1000 and $2000 or less. F. A. PATTEE, 309 Wright & Callender Bldg. F3558, Main 3060.

MONEY WANTED— On Collaterals.

WANTED—$10,000 FOR 2 YEARS AT 10 PER cent., with privilege of paying it off in one year; secured by $87,000 oil refined in one of the best oil fields in the State; the above plant could not be bought for $100,000. Address X, box 112, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—REAL QUICK LOAN, $10,000 FOR 3 years at 8½ per cent., on $30,000 Los Angeles improved, first mortgage; commission. Call MARKS, 219 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.

WANTED — MONEY; MUST HAVE THIS morning $495; will pay back $595 in 50 days; bonus $45; security $7000 real estate, first mortgage. Call MARKS, 219 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.

WANTED—LOAN THIS MORNING; MUST have $1000; will return $1250 in 100 days; security $30,000 real estate, first mortgage; bonus $100. Call MARKS, 219 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.

WANTED — $700; TRUST DEED, 8 PER cent.; due in 11 months; secured by a mortgage; good city improved property; reasonable discount. Address A, box 133, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MONEY QUICKLY, $3500 FOR 3 years, at 9 per cent., on $10,000 Los Angeles improved, first mortgage; commission. Call Marks, 219 Citizens' National Bank Bldg.

WANTED—TO BORROW, $300, 2 YEARS, 8 per cent. net, on improved real estate, value $7000. AMBROSE L. HAMELL CO., 536-547 Douglas Bldg. A4691, Main 5567.

WANTED—FROM PRIVATE PARTY, $2000 building loan; will pay 7 per cent. net; good security; first mortgage. Address B, box 222, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TO BORROW $150 FOR 30 DAYS; good security and liberal interest. Address A, box 61, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PRIVATE MONEY FOR FIRST mortgage, gilt-edge securities, 7 and 8 per cent. RAMEY BROS., 207 Mercantile Place.

MONEY WANTED— On Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY. $40,000 to $50,000, 1, 2 or 3 years, at 12 per cent. per annum net interest, payable monthly or quarterly, secured by first mortgage or trust deed on property in the town of Williams, Coconino county, Ariz., a town of 2000 inhabitants, with two railroads.
First. Water plant with 15,000,000-gallon water reservoir, consisting of 160 acres of land in a canyon forming a natural water reservoir, now confined with good, substantial dam and with ample capacity to supply the entire town, and with a complete system of pipes for the distribution of said water, already installed and in use.
Second. The electric light and power plant, already in, and now supplying the entire town with day and night circuit and fully equipped.
Third. The telephone plant now supplying the entire town.
Fourth. The sewer system of the entire town.
The corporation desiring this loan have all the rights, franchises and privileges duly and legally granted to it for operating all of the above, given under authority of law duly granted and authorized by the town of Williams, county of Coconino, Ariz. The present income from the above plants is now $1500 per month and which can be increased to $2500 by contemplated improvement, which will be made with this money when borrowed.
The value of the plant is now $85,000 and when completed with this money, it will be $125,000.
These plants are duly installed and have been running for some time and are giving entire satisfaction to the entire town.
Full investigation courted and railroad fare paid to party who will investigate.
If you prefer bonds for a longer time, the plant can be bonded and bonds sold you at an interesting figure.
For further particulars apply to MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, The Leading Mortgage Loan Brokers, 505 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring, Los Angeles, Cal.
Without cost to you we will safely loan your money on first mortgages or deeds of trust on Los Angeles improved real estate or ranch property, worth two, three and four times amount loaned at 7 to 10 per cent. per annum net interest. Placing the funds of ladies and inexperienced persons honestly, safely and profitably a specialty. Money escrowed with title insurance company on all loans. We always have bank stocks, street improvement bonds and fine investment stocks and bonds for sale. Insurance placed. Wills, deeds, mortgages, homesteads and all legal papers correctly drawn.
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Hundreds of satisfied clients, Title Insurance & Trust Co., Title Guarantee & Trust Co., Los Angeles Abstract Co., First National Bank.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, The Leading Mortgage Loan Brokers, 505 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring.

WANTED—MONEY ON FIRST MORTGAGE.
DAILY LIST OF LOANS WANTED. 7 AND 8 PER CENT.
$1250—3 years, 7½ per cent., E. Adams st. near Central; desirable residence; value $4000.
$1600—Fair Oaks ave., Pasadena, residence, just sold for $4500.
$1000—New cottage, close in, Woodlawn ave., 3 years, 8 per cent., value $3000.
$1200—Cottage, 34th st. near Central ave., 3 years, 8 per cent., value $3000.
$1900—29th st. near San Pedro, 6-room cottage, 8 per cent., value $4000.
$5500—West Adams corner, 3 years, 8 per cent., value $12,500.
$1250—Vacant lot, West Adams st., 3 years, 8 per cent., value $2500.
$3000—New two-story, ten-room residence, near Pico st., 3 years, 8 per cent., value $7000.
$2000—Two cottages, near 38th st., one block from Main st., 3 years, 8 per cent., value $6000.
$1250—49th st., near Vermont ave., new bungalow, 3 years, 8 per cent., value $2500.
$1250—52d st., near Vermont ave., new bungalow, 3 years, 8 per cent., value $2750.
$1350—53d st., near Vermont, new cottage, 3 years, 8 per cent., value $2750.
$900—Avenue 20, near Pasadena ave., value $2000; house.
Insure with us.
We are agents for the Law Union and Crown Insurance Company of London, and English-American Underwriters. Combined assets forty million dollars.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO., 218 W. Third st.

WANTED—MONEY ON FIRST MORTGAGES
$2250—3 years, 7 per cent., on lot 50x114, on Figueroa near Court st., with 12-room house, value $6000.
$9000—5 years, 6 per cent. net, on lot 40x155, on S. Olive st., between Ninth and 11th sts., value $30,000, improved with two large houses, bringing rental of $90 per month; value $4400; total value $34,000.
$8000—3 years, 7 per cent. net, on lot on corner of Eighth and Hemlock, well improved with stores and flats, value $30,000.
$10,000—3 years, 10 per cent. net, on 80 acres of celery and beet land, perfectly level, free from alkali, supplied with water from five flowing wells, value $24,000, improved with nine-room modern residence and large barn, value $6000; total value $30,000. This is the best class of celery and sugar beet soil, and is only half mile from new electric line connecting with beet-sugar factory at Santa Ana.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, The Leading Mortgage Loan Brokers, 505 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring.

WANTED—MONEY.
$250—1 year, 10 per cent., Santa Monica property.
$300—3 years, 9 per cent., value $1200, Boyle Heights.
$400—3 years, 9 per cent., value $1200, Sunnyside Park.
$500—2 years, 9 per cent., value $3000, Sunnyside Park.
$600—3 years, 8 per cent., value $1800, East Los Angeles.
$1200—3 years, 8 per cent., value $3800, south 42d st.
$1600—3 years, 8 per cent., value $4500, ranch.
$1700—3 years, 7 per cent., value $3800, S.W.
$2000—3 years, 7 per cent., value $5600, 42d st.
Please answer now, as we have good applications.
M. M. DAVISON & SON, Rooms 204-6, Wilcox Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY; WE HAVE APPLICATIONS on improved residence property for the following amounts, which represent about 40 per cent. of their conservative value, at 7 and 8 per cent. interest: $1200, $1400, $1500, $1600, $1825, $2000, $2500, $3000, $4000, $5000, $5500.
We also have an application for $7000, for one year at 2 per cent. per month, secured by 24 acres of improved land with a 7-room house, at Santa Barbara, worth $30,000. Our client must have this money at once, hence his offer to this liberal interest.
JOSEPH R. LOFTUS COMPANY, 128 W. Sixth st. Main or F5518. Member L.A.R.B.

WANTED—MONEY. WE OWN AND OFFER for sale these gilt edge trust deeds. They are first liens on Los Angeles city property; Time 1 to 3 years, interest 7 to 12 per cent., payable quarterly.
$5000—On improved residence property, worth $10,000.
$3000—On 2 houses and 3 lots, worth $8000.
$2500—On lovely cottage worth $5000.
$1800—On city property worth $4800.
$1600—On beautiful cottage worth $3500.
$1300—On cottage worth $3500.
$1000—On new cottage worth $3000.
Security absolute; nothing better.
Phone A2790. WATSON, 322 L. A. Trust Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY On the following gilt-edge loans:
$2500—3 years, 7 per cent., 1096 W. 30th st.
$3500—3 years, 7 per cent., 2299 W. 21st st.
$3650—3 years, 7 per cent., 1710 Harvard blvd.
$4000—3 years, 7 per cent., King and Wilshire.
$4000—3 years, 7 per cent., King and Wilshire.
$5000—3 years, 8 per cent., Manhattan and Washington.
$11,500—3 years, 7 per cent., 562 Central ave.
Please inspect and call us at once if you want a good investment.
WRIGHT & CALLENDER COMPANY, 402 S. Hill st. 'Phone Ex. 80.

WANTED—MONEY. FOR SALE—GUARANTEED FIRST MORTGAGES.
$250—2 years, 12 per cent. net, on lot 40x130, on Plata st., near Hoover st., value $500.
$1200—3 years, 8 per cent. net, on lot 43x130, on W. 50th st. near Beach st., with 6-room bungalow, value $2750.
$1500—3 years, 8 per cent. net, on lot 40x125, on E. Sixth st. near Spence st., Boyle Heights, with fine 6-room bungalow, value $3250.
MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, The Leading Mortgage Loan Brokers, 505 Douglas Bldg., cor. Third and Spring.

WANTED—GILT EDGE FIRST MORTGAGES on first-class farm lands in San Joaquin Valley; large and small loans; close to town; loans based on low valuation; will net lender 11 per cent. per annum. NEWPORT & MILNER, 206 Central Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY. $6000—8 per cent., three years, on forty acres, 18 miles from city; 10 acres in alfalfa, 25 acres in beets, balance in garden; four artesian wells, good 7-room house and outbuildings; value $15,000.
$3000—7 per cent., one, two or three years; valuation of property $10,000.
LOAN DEPARTMENT, W. I. HOLLINGSWORTH & CO., Ex. 777, Main 1362. 312-14 Wilcox Bldg.

WANTED—LOAN OF $10,000; WILL GIVE A trust deed and pay 10 per cent.; this is a ranch of 380 acres, all in cultivation; 4 houses, 2 barns, large pumping plant, etc.; improvements are worth at least $30,000 and the land at least $300 per acre; there is a first mortgage of $19,000, running 2 years. I need this money at once; can show you that it is O.K. I have other property up to $150,000, so it will be safe. I want to deal with principals only. Address X, box 193, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$4000. Here's a loan in a thousand. Not many like it. Act quickly. $4000 wanted on property easily worth $25,000; interest 7 per cent. for 3 years, payable quarterly. Phone A2790. WATSON, 322 L. A. Trust Bldg.

MONEY WANTED— On Collaterals.

FOR SALE — $500 TO $65,000 STREET IMprovements bonds, asphalt, paving, Grand ave., Figueroa, East Main, Jefferson and Temple sts., and ordinary street work, many other streets; big discount, so bonds will net 9 to 12 per cent. interest. MATTHEWS & MATTHEWS, The Leading Street Bond Brokers, 505 Douglas Bldg., corner Third and Spring.

WANTED — $45,000 FROM PRIVATE parties; proposition to erect about 30 houses, which will sell from $2000 to $2500 each, on easy terms; will pay 7 per cent. for 5 years; all moneys to be handled by Title, Insurance and Trust Company. First mortgage; close-in Sunset blvd. lots. Address A, box 9, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MONEY—$4000—$4000. Here's a gilt-edge loan. Property is selling for nearly $25,000. Any bank in town knows the value of this security makes it a six-to-one loan. See me promptly. It won't keep. Phone A2790. WATSON, 322 L. A. Trust Bldg.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE MONEY TO LOAN apply to the Trust Department of the Columbia Trust Company. We use the same care to make loans for our clients as in making loans of our own funds. COLUMBIA TRUST CO., 311 W. Third st. Phone Ex. 525.

WANTED—$1800—$1800— An $1800 trust deed for sale. We guarantee this an exceptionally good loan. Interest 8 per cent. net, payable quarterly. This will exactly suit you. Act promptly. It won't keep. Phone A2790. WATSON, 322 L. A. Trust Bldg.

WANTED—$5500, 1 YEAR, AT 7 PER CENT.; VALUE $16,500; IMPROVED FINE RESIDENCE; WILSHIRE BLVD. PRINCIPALS. —SEE— MR. BOYDEN, MINES & FARISH, 315 S. HILL ST.

WANTED—MONEY. I have some gilt-edge guaranteed mortgages which will net you 15 per cent. per annum, payable monthly. Don't you think that better than savings bank interest? See me promptly. Phone A2790. WATSON, 322 L. A. Trust Bldg.

WANTED—LOAN, $1250 FOR 3 YEARS, 8 per cent.; security nearly new 5-room house on 54th near Central; have sold adjoining houses, same as this, for $3000; must have this by the seventh; principals only. Address X, box 192, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MONEY— $1000—8 per cent.; gilt-edge city. $700—8 per cent.; 2 ranches, near city. $2200—8 per cent.; income city property. See NOTARY, 507 Grant Bldg., Fourth and Broadway. A3454, Main 4176.

WANTED—ABOUT $2500, 8 PER CENT., ON $10,000; 25 acres alfalfa land, 2 blocks from Corona depot; fenced, piped; ample water; plowed for planting; expense of inspection guaranteed. Address A, box 54, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A LOAN OF $5000 AND ONE OF $4000 for 3 years, at 6 per cent. net. First mortgage on good business property. Loans about 40 per cent. of valuation. Address OWNER, 431 W. Fourth st., Los Angeles, or 'Phone A1965.

WANTED—TO BORROW $1500 FOR 2 YEARS on modern home in heart of Alhambra. Will pay 9 per cent. F3577. MEYER & JOHNSON, Broadway 1223. 832 Security Bldg.

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"Oh, yes, sir."

"How would you make a Venetian blind?"

The man scratched his head and thought deeply for a few seconds. "I should think, sir," he said finally, "about the best way would be to punch him in the eye."—[Everybody's Magazine.

PHYSICIAN INDICTED.

BENTON (Ill.) Dec. 2.—Dr. B. F. Brayfield of Mulkeytown, Ill., was indicted here today on charges of murder and forgery growing out of the deaths of his wife and Reuben F. Parish in that town and the subsequent efforts of Brayfield and Mrs. Parish to collect life insurance from fraternal orders of which the deceased were members.

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HELD UP TO RIDICULE.

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the hands of the trustees, she to take over all debts then pending.

M. Clemenceau then railed at the Count for reproaching De Sagan with having two mistresses.

"The Count," he said, "had more than two when he married Miss Gould."

The Count also accused De Sagan with ingratitude because he (the Count) had once loaned him $12,000.

"Where does the money come from?" asked the lawyer. "Why, from Anna Gould, who is now the Princess De Sagan."

Reverting to the divorce proceedings, M. Clemenceau charged that the words of the decree obtained by the Countess, that "the husband had entertained relations with women of easy morals" did not constitute the worst charge against the Count. As a proof that the suit was not brought because of the Count's solicitude for his children, and that the Marquise De Castellane did not desire their custody, M. Clemenceau called attention to the fact that the Marquise De Castellane had not come forward as a party to the action.

OUT OF HER WINDOW.

M. Clemenceau took up one by one the accusations made against the Princess by the Count regarding her travels in Italy with De Sagan before their marriage. It should be remembered, the lawyer declared, that the Princess was not a young girl traveling with her fiancée, but a divorced woman in the company of the man she was going to marry. Furthermore, she is an American, M. Clemenceau said:

"Conduct that would appear to be out of the ordinary in France," he said, "is perfectly proper on the other side of the ocean."

Dismissing the charges brought against the Prince and Mme. Gould while they were in New York, M. Clemenceau came to the more serious charge of misconduct at Versailles. He admitted that De Sagan had stepped out of Mme. Gould's window in the Hotel des Reserverar, at 11 o'clock in the morning, but he pointed out that this was not the window of her bedroom but of her salon, and as the salon was situated on the ground floor of the hotel, it was quite natural for the Prince to emerge into the garden by way of the tall window that in French houses often serves as a door.

DENIES INSINUATION.

He called attention to the fact that counsel for the Count had insinuated that De Sagan had conducted himself improperly at Versailles. Such an insinuation was infamously false, and it likewise untrue that De Sagan had occupied a room in the Chateau Marais on the same floor as that of Mme. Gould's servants. It is true that De Sagan had rented a villa at Bellevue under an assumed name, but this was something he had a perfect right to do.

M. Clemenceau pleaded that the boys be left under the affectionate care of their mother, where they could receive an American education like the children of George J. Gould—that is, be taught to work.

"In spite of the large fortune these children will inherit," said the lawyer, for the Princess, "their lives should not be idle. If they do nothing good or useful they will run a great risk of doing something bad. The court should affirm the impossibility of confiding these three children to their father or grandmother—in a word, to relatives who would teach them that the ideal of a man is to receive an allowance from his divorced wife."

The lawyer then read a series of letters from the tutor of the children, showing that when the Count was at home, before he was divorced, they never saw him except at meals, and they were then made to listen to unbecoming language.

"Yet the man who brings this unjust, cruel, and infamous suit," M. Clemenceau said with a sneer, "dares to allege that he entertains esteem and admiration for his former wife."

In conclusion, M. Clemenceau gave many instances of the tender motherly solicitude of the Princess, "instancing the fact that she had arranged to receive four telegrams a day about her children when she went to London to be married to the Prince.

When M. Clemenceau had finished it was announced that the case would go over to December 9, when M. Junier will speak for De Sagan, and M. Rousse for George Gould, who, as trustee of the sister's estate, is a party to the suit.

CONTENTIONS OF PRINCESS.

M. Clemenceau then summed up the contentions of the Princess as follows:

The Count had formally declared that he would withdraw the suit unless the Princess separated from her husband. The facts that the Count had offered to prove were irrelevant, and even if they were established they had no bearing upon the disposition of the children.

Furthermore, these allegations were denied by the Princess. The Count was inspired less by solicitude for the welfare of his children than by personal hatred and financial considerations. The Princess, since her marriage to her present husband, has fulfilled in every way her duty toward her children. She had not sought to alienate their affections from their father. On the other hand, the Count had committed the unpardonable fault of bringing out the present scandal to the detriment of the children, he had used language which "humiliated" their tutor, and in letters to them he had called De Sagan a bandit.

CHARGES FORGERY.

M. Clemenceau then denied that De Sagan since his marriage, had in any way interfered with the education of the children. Consequently he asked the court, taking into consideration the Princess's expressed declaration that she never had opposed and would not oppose in the future the exercise of the Count's legal rights over the education of the children, provided only that he did not attempt to poison their minds, to dismiss the suit.

Continuing, M. Clemenceau announced that the Princess formally joined with her husband in the allegations against the Count numbered from four to twenty, inclusive. These deal with De Sagan's claims that the Count, in order to prevent the marriage of Madame Gould with the Prince de Sagan, caused forged letters and documents purporting to have been signed by De Sagan to be sent to Mme. Gould.

These papers consisted of usurer's notes, payable the day the Prince was married to Mme. Gould, and three letters alleged to have been written by De Sagan to his mistress, in which he ridiculed Mme. Gould and spoke in scurrilous terms of her.

The Count claimed these documents had been left anonymously at his residence during the month of September, 1907. De Sagan offered to prove, with the cooperation of his wife, that the Count had arranged through two women, called Mme. G. and Mme. R., to have these documents shown to Mme. Gould at her country residence. De Sagan, while not directly accusing the Count of forgery, offered to prove by experts that these documents were forged, "by the same hand."

SCORES THE COUNT.

Then, taking up the argument again, M. Clemenceau said he did not like to follow his adversary into the realm of flimsy affirmation; he preferred to confine himself to facts that could be established.

Nevertheless, affirmations must be met, notably Mme. Gould's alleged remark that it would have been better if she had not been divorced, but had lived as she pleased though married.

What Mme. Gould actually said, M. Clemenceau declared, was: "I am treated just as if I had a lot of lovers."

Counsel for the Princess contended that the testimony of the chauffeur discharged from the service of De Sagan, and the evidence of private detectives, was utterly unworthy of credence, and he raked the Count fore and aft when he reached the subject of the fashion in which he had dissipated his wife's fortune, spending at the rate of $1,000,000 a year for eleven years.

"So long as this money was forthcoming," M. Clemenceau said, "the Count considered his wife upright and honorable."

UP THE LADDER.

MORGAN TAKES NEW PARTNER.

HENRY P. DAVISON TO JOIN FIRM.

President of First National Bank to Associate Himself With Big Financial House of J. P. Morgan and Company on January 1—T. W. Lamont Successor.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2. — [Exclusive Dispatch.] The first important change in the personnel of the banking house of J. P. Morgan & Co., since the admission of George W. Perkins, in 1901, will come on January 1, when Henry P. Davison, vice-president of the First National Bank, will become a partner. He will be succeeded in the First National by Thomas W. Lamont, vice-president of the Bankers' Trust Company.

Mr. Davison took an active part last year in the important clearinghouse conferences resulting in the elimination of the Heinzes, Morse and Thomases; was one of the examiners who passed on the solvency of several of the tottering banks and trust companies, and participated in even the most select of the famous midnight conferences at the Hotel Manhattan and in Mr. Morgan's library.

Mr. Davison was born in Troy, Pa., 41 years ago and after a preparatory school education, went to work as clerk in a small bank there. Subsequently he went to Bridgeport, Ct., as teller of the Peconic Bank. He came to this city as teller of the old Astor Place Bank, and on the organization of the Liberty National Bank, went to it as cashier. In a short time he was made vice-president of the Liberty, and later president.

Six years ago George F. Baker brought Mr. Davison from the Liberty to the First National.

MISTAKEN.

CORRECTS HIS FORMER ERROR.

WHARFAGE RATES LOWER THAN CAPTAIN SAID.

Uncle Sam's Engineer in Charge of This District Issues Formal Statement Revising Recent Utterances Before Women's Club and San Pedro Chamber of Commerce.

Capt. Amos A. Fries, Engineer Corps, U.S.A., who is in charge of this district, has issued a formal statement, in which he corrects certain utterances made recently before the San Pedro Chamber of Commerce, regarding the wharfage rate paid in that port. He says now that he finds the charges lower than he believed them to be when he made the address referred to.

His correction follows:

"In an address before the Friday Morning Club of Los Angeles on November 6, and again before the Women's Club and Chamber of Commerce of San Pedro on November 24, I made certain statements in regard to wharfage charges and railroad rates at San Pedro that are somewhat in error.

"The question of any particular rate is only incidental and of no great importance, while the question as to whether or not the public shall own, and therefore control, its harbor facilities, is fundamental and of vital importance, and that was the question to which I gave my full attention.

"Even if the rates as established by private corporations were as low as they could be made by the public, they would still be subject to increases against which the public would be in no position to make effective protest.

"I am more than glad to be able to state that the wharfage rates are lower than those quoted by me, and only wish I could say my error was twice as great as it was. This does not apply to local freight rates, which were rather too low than otherwise.

"While I am very glad to find that my original statement of rates was in some cases too high, yet, as noted above, the question of any particular rate is only incidental, and if all rates just at present were entirely equitable the necessity for the public ownership and control of the harbor would still exist to insure the continuance of equitable rates and to insure that wharfage and storage room will always be slightly ahead of actual needs in order to attract and hold commerce. This would be true in any case, but is especially so where a single corporation controls nearly the entire harbor, as at San Pedro at present.

LUMBER RATES.

"After personally talking with steamship, wharf and railroad agents, shippers, customhouse officials, and others, I find wharfage, rail, dockage and other rates at San Pedro to be as follows:

"Stevedoring lumber from ship's side to cars is 75 cents per 1000 board feet. Dockage of ship alongside wharves, for vessels of 100 tons or less, $3.50 per day. This increases at approximately $1 per 100 tons up to 1200 tons, after which the rate remains fixed at $14.75 per day.

"The pilotage rate on foreign vessels over 500 tons gross register, when docking in the inner harbor, is $5 for each foot draft and 5 cents per ton gross registered tonnage.

"In comparing wharfage rates at San Pedro with those at San Francisco, which are said to average 58.4 cents per ton, we must add for San Pedro one-third of the San Francisco rates for pilotage, because in the San Francisco rate of 58.4 cents the pilotage is included, and as the foreign commerce of San Francisco equals about one-third of the total, that is the correct fraction to use for San Pedro. The dockage must also be considered, which may vary from 4 to 10 cents per ton, or even more, depending upon the speed with which the vessel is unloaded.

"Taking lumber as an example, which is the one I used in figuring profits, the stevedoring rate of 75 cents per 1000 feet gives about 40 cents profit. Add four sailing vessels 10 cents per 1000 dockage charges."

IN THE BIG INDUSTRIES.

Smelter Made Smokeless.

That the smoke of a smelter can be made inocuous has been demonstrated by a new smelting plant near Salt Lake City. More than 1000 tons of ore and fluxes are being reduced every twenty-four hours without enough perceptible smoke escaping from the smokestack to indicate that fires were burning. The problem thus solved has been a much-studied one, and it has been solved in the bag-house. Other smelters have bag-houses, and also obnoxious smoke. The secret of the reduction of the smoke is said to lie at the point of entry of the smoke into the bag-houses flues where are stationed two great blowers. As these machines force the smoke and fumes through the flues that feed the bags, a secret combination of zinc dust, and other chemical agents, is blown in with them. This chemical compound, comparatively little of which is required, neutralizes the effect of the sulphur and arsenic on the bags and prevents the cloth from rotting, collapsing and permitting the escape of the fumes through the tall stack.

The United States Company started its works on July 16, and, while the plant has been going day and night since that time, not a single bag of the 2200 in the bag-house, has had to be replaced, and that, notwithstanding the fact that twice a day all the accumulated stuff in them is shaken out, wetted down and hauled away to be converted into briquette, to be smelted over again.

Paper Mill at Spokane.

Preparations are under way for the construction of an $850,000 paper manufacturing plant at Spokane by C. H. Pride, president of the Tomahawk Paper and Pulp Company at Tomahawk, Wis. The low cost and almost inexhaustible supply of wood for paper making about Spokane are considered to offer great possibilities for the paper industry, beside which is a big saving in transportation cost, amounting for that section to about $22 a ton.

Growing Use of Steel.

The annually increasing demand for steel for railroad purposes, trucks, cars, ties, etc., are understood, but there are other demands of which less note has been taken. The increasing cost of lumber is causing steel to be used in many places where lumber has heretofore been exclusively used. About 4,000,000,000 board feet of shingles are consumed annually in the United States. Ultimately this use must be supplied by metals in which tinplate must take a prominent place. Lath takes about 1,000,000,000 board feet a year, and will be replaced by sheet steel or wire lath. More than 1,000,000,000 board feet go into cooperage stock, and for much of this use wood will have to yield to steel. These bare figures show the possibilities, but they do not furnish an adequate conception in tons of steel. A rough idea of the possibilities of steel replacing wood may be gained by the following statement: The United States forest service estimates that railroad ties comprise only about 8 per cent. of the total wood used in the United States, yet our estimate just made shows that the replacement of wood by steel in this work will mean between 60,000,000 and 100,000,000 tons of steel. As large buildings are now constructed of steel or steel and concrete, it may be expected that small buildings, even dwelling houses will ultimately fall into line.

Canada Producing Tobacco.

Consul John E. Hamilton of Cornwall, Ont., reports that the increase in the production of tobacco in Canada is extraordinary. The production in the counties of Essex and Kent, in Ontario has risen from 400,000 pounds in 1897 to 7,500,000 pounds in 1906. This tobacco has been recognized as especially suitable for conversion in to plug for chewing and smoking. The production is all being consumed in Canada, and has materially lessened the demand for foreign tobacco. Parliament, as claimed, has made some important changes in the tariff that will operate in extending and enlarging the production of tobacco, not only for home consumption, but for export.

Greatness of the Steel Trust.

Current Wall street estimates place the number of United States Steel Corporation shareholders at 115,000. Something like 40 per cent. of the total number of shareholders are employés. When operating at its full capacity the United States Steel Corporation employs close to 240,000 men. At that rate 20 per cent. of the working force are interested as partners.

Within the next two or three months the directors of the company will agree upon the price at which employés may subscribe to the preferred stock in 1909. The figure probably will not be as low as in previous years unless the company has already succeeded in accumulating stock at cheaper prices. In the early part of the year 25,000 shares of preferred stock were distributed among employés on a basis of $87.50, although subscriptions aggregated nearly 60,000. Since the profit-sharing plan became operative the company has paid out to the employés who held stock between $10,000,000 and $12,000,000 in bonuses.

Lucky Finds.

Some men are said to be so lucky that if they fall in a river they come up with a pocket full of fish. "Something equally as good" has happened to two mine owners of San Bernardino county. A few months ago Tom Cunningham, a colored man who lives near Riggs station on the Tonopah & Tidewater Railroad and who has had the good sense to salt away in a Los Angeles bank $11,000 received for claims, which he had located and opened, undertook to find water in a wash near his house. At a depth of fifty feet a small stream was found. Thinking to get a more bounteous supply of the fluid, he sank five feet more and uncovered a blind lead running 47 per cent. in lead, with good silver values.

Out Bagdad way, on the property of Judge W. A. Fraser, wagon wheels ground down through the sand in the road and exposed to view gold-bearing quarts of excellent value. This property adjoins the Orange Blossom Extension mine. J. A. Hodgman, general manager of the latter, recently brought to this city specimens of the ore from the wagon-road discovery. It is the same character of ore as is being taken from his own mine.

Too Swift for Him.

"I am very sorry to hear, Capt. Salter, that your wife left you so unceremoniously."

"My mistake, sir. I took her for a mate and she proved to be a skipper."—[Exchange.

SAN JOAQUIN VALLEY.

BOLD CRACKSMEN ROB SAFES AT KINGSBURG.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

FRESNO, Dec. 2.—Daring cracksmen, between 2:30 and 3 o'clock this morning, blew open with nitroglycerine the postoffice safe at Kingsburg, and an office safe in the merchandise store of S. Davis. Kingsburg is twenty miles south of Fresno.

From the postoffice safe, $860 in stamps of various denominations and $250 in cash was secured. From the store safe $300 in gold and $125 in small checks was secured.

Entrance in each case was through the rear doors of the establishments. The safe combinations were pried off and the explosive inserted, the robbers then completing the work by filling up the remainder of the hole with soap. The store safe was wrecked several minutes after the other, the store being situated several blocks away from the postoffice. Here the cracksmen evidently became frightened, for they left behind the ma hatchet, a hand ax, a chisel and a bar of soap.

Sheriff Chittenden is investigating the case, but no further clew has been found to the robbers. Kingsburg citizens heard the explosions, but thought they were caused by Southern Pacific trains running over torpedoes.

The force of the explosion wrecked several postoffice boxes and broke windows.

WIDOW HELD FOR DEATH OF ADMIRAL'S NEPHEW.

ROCHESTER (N. Y.) Dec. 1.—As the culmination of the inquest into the death of Harry Sampson, on the Alleyn farm, near Palmyra, Wayne county, on November 1, from the effects of a gunshot wound, Mrs. Georgia Sampson, the widow, was formally charged with his murder and placed under arrest.

Harry Sampson was a nephew of the late Rear-Admiral T. Sampson, who commanded the American fleet in the battle of Santiago. His death created a stir in Wayne county, where he was widely known, and the theory of suicide, which was at first maintained by his friends and neighbors, became discredited when sinister rumors later were circulated. These led to an investigation by the Coroner and District Attorney of Wayne county.

At the inquest Dr. Albert Hamilton, a firearms expert, testified that he had made a thorough examination of the wound which caused Sampson's death, and gave it as his opinion that the dead man could not possibly have fired the shot which caused Sampson's death, and gave it as his opinion that it was not suicide. This was the first direct evidence the authorities had upon which to base a suspicion of foul play.

A LITERARY EXCURSION.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Nov. 11.—"How do authors feel with reference to their own books?" is the question asked recently at a gathering of prominent writers in London. Various answers were forthcoming, and the discussion brought out some interesting facts bearing on the psychology of authorship. The same subject is further elaborated by a well-known French writer, Pierre de Coulevain, who has just published a series of articles dealing with it. Among other things (for Pierre is a woman) she says that Anatole France —whose works, both in England and France are widely appreciated—thinks that authors do not like to read their own books. In a recent interview, France said:

"I have no modern books in my house; not even my own. What a man has built himself—even supposing it to be a palace—he knows so well that he cannot endure the sight of it. I could not bear to have my books in my hands. Why should I look at them?"

On the other hand, many authors delight in poring over their own books again and again. Hazlitt, in a famous essay, compared the after joys of authorship with those of painting. "For a person to read his own works over with delight," he wrote, "he ought first to forget that he ever wrote them." Many authors in these days keep on hand "presentation copies" of their books, which they hand out to friends with much gusto; thereby, perhaps, running the risk of converting friends into enemies. In this connection, an amusing story is told against himself by Anthony Hope. The author sent a set of his books to one of his friends, and, in reply, received an effusive note, ending with the words: "What have I done to deserve this?" a question which certainly might be interpreted in two ways.

Hope recently administered a severe drubbing to the snobbish literary critic, and condemned "bookishness" of every kind. In an address at Liverpool, he drew the distinction between the truly learned book lover and the mere skimmer or skipper." He deprecated the fact that there were many people who pretended to a knowledge of books when they were only acquainted in a vague and superficial way with their contents. "To say you are familiar with a great book," said Anthony Hope, "when you have never read it, is not much better than saying you know a duchess when you do not. In both cases, you know only the title. Let us tell the truth about our little bit of knowledge," he continued, "and of our immense tract of ignorance. Let us not pretend to have read what we have but noted, or to be profound students of what we have merely skimmed. I know it needs a great deal of courage to stand up in a cultivated audience and confess taat we have never read though 'Paradise Lost.' Let us try to be sincere and unaffected on this subject. Let none pose as being more bookish or of a more 'literary turn' than he really is."

These are surely words of wisdom which many may take to heart. It might be said in passing that Anthony Hope's popularity seems to have increased within the last year. There was a time quite recently when the author of "The Prisoner of Zenda" was almost forgotten; but his many admirers will be glad to learn that he is again in the swim. Anthony Hope deserves success, and the story of how he won fame should encourage the literary aspirant of these days when it is recalled that his first book—"A Man of Mark"—was a failure. He brought it out at his own expense, and nearly every one predicted that he would never be heard of in the world of letters. It is said that today Anthony Hope is sure of an income of nearly $16,000 a year, and the royalties from his books are increasing.

A daughter of Thackeray—Lady Ritchie—has recently brought out a book of personal reminiscences under the title of "Blackstick Papers." Lady Ritchie is the great novelist's eldest daughter, and has inherited much of her father's ability. She has been a writer all her life, and has produced fully a dozen good-sized volumes, ranging through fiction, essays, biographies and reminiscences; to say nothing of her famous biographical edition of her father's works. Lady Ritchie is now well advanced in years—it is perhaps characteristic that "Who's Who" does not give the date of her birth—and is a widow and a daughter. Her published photographs bear a marked resemblance to her father; and critics say that her style is a close imitation of his work. It seems strange that living descendants of great writers like Dickens, Thackeray and others should be bringing out books. Their names on the backs of novels certainly call up hosts of vivid recollections.

Another lady novelist of the "early days" whose work is receiving much attention just now is Mrs. Gaskell, author of the widely read "Cranford." Several editions of this famous book have recently been published and the author is achieving a fame which was certainly denied during her life. Mrs. Gaskell's youngest daughter recently died in Manchester. There are two unmarried daughters—Miss Meta and Miss Julia—who live in Manchester at Plymouth Grove, the house in which "Cranford" was written. For many years—during their mother's life—Plymouth Grove was the scene of one of the most brilliant salons in England, where leading lights in all walks of artistic endeavor were wont to gather periodically, and enjoy the society of Mrs. Gaskell and her husband.

Edgar Allan Poe's European fame is greatly on the increase. In addition to the English revival of his works—there being no less than six excellent editions on the market—France has recently paid him the tribute of republishing his poems and short stories. In France, Poe stands easily first as America's greatest writer. Long ago, Victor Hugo said of him, "Poe is the prince of American literature." A recent critic in an English review, speaking of Poe's continental fame, said: "In many a little German, Austrian or Italian bookshop, he stands as the sole representative of the literature of his native land. Considering all this, it seems peculiar that Poe should have been denied a place in his own American Hall of Fame." The writer evidently forgets the Biblical allusion to prophets in their own country.

The London Academy under the new editorship of T. W. H. Crosland—author of the "Unspeakable Scot" and other "rilling" books—distinguishes itself by attacking everything and everybody. It is following the instruction of the Irishman at the political gathering—"If you see a head, hit it." In a single number, in less than four pages, Crosland says "mean things" about the United States, Max Beerboam, Maud Allan, Christabel Pankhurst, Frank Harris, Victor Grayson, M. P., G. B. Shaw, the Poets' Club, G. K. Chesterton and about seven London publications. This is a good start, considering that The Academy is described as a "semi-religious weekly."

Hesketh Prichard, hunter, novelist, and cricketer, is on his way back from another hunting trip in Canada, where he is said to have shot some remarkably fine specimens of big game. He is at work on big-game hunting in Labrador, Newfoundland, Patagonia and the Canadian West.

CHARLES OGDEN.

THE CITY IN BRIEF

Just a Rainbouquet!

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Bishop's Reception Abandoned.

The reception to Bishop E. H. Hughes at the First Methodist Episcopal Church next Monday evening has been abandoned, because the bishop will not be able to remain in the city that long.

Car Hits Deputy Tax Collector.

William Easton, a deputy City Tax Collector, was hit by a car which he was trying to catch at Eighth and San Pedro streets, last night. He sustained a slight concussion of the brain, and was treated at the Receiving Hospital. He lives a 118 West Eleventh street.

Engineers to Inspect.

Col. John Biddle, U.S.A., division engineer of government work on the Pacific Coast and in Hawaii, will start on a tour of inspection today. Capt. A. A. Fries of this city will accompany him. The two engineers will first inspect the breakwater at Port San Luis. They will probably reach San Pedro tomorrow, and from there will go to San Diego.

Northern Chamber Coming.

Prominent members of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce will make a tour of Southern California this month, reaching here a week from today. The local chamber will give a reception in their honor, and are planning several excursions. President George H. Stewart appointed the following Entertainment Committee, yesterday: Willis H. Booth, chairman; Louis M. Cole, Charles Weir, W. P. Jeffries and W. E. Keller.

Seventy Take Examination.

About seventy medical students took an examination in this city, yesterday, under the direction of the State Board of Medical Examiners, in the banquet rooms at Levy's. It will be concluded tonight. The subjects on which questions were propounded included anatomy, histology, physiology, chemistry and toxicology, hygiene, pathology, bacteriology, obstetrics, gynecology, surgical and medical diagnosis. The examination is for those intending to practice in the regular school and also osteopaths.

Information for Nothing.

Prof. Harry L. Wilson of the Johns Hopkins University and last year director of the Classical Schools in Rome, will deliver the first of this season's free lectures under the charge of the Archeological Institute of America, to be given in this city. He will speak on "Recent Discoveries in Rome" at 8 o'clock Saturday evening, in the auditorium on the fifth floor of the Hamburger building. His address will be illustrated. Prof. Wilson is a magnetic speaker and an authority on his subject.

Reunion of Classmates.

A meeting of the Sigma Phi Delta Fraternity was held last evening at the home of Walton Maybury, No. 614 Coronado street, and the following officers elected: President, Johnny Stum; vice-president, Alfred Benson; secretary, Edward E. Foster; treasurer, Glenn Zeigler; high sheriff, Milton E. Miller. After the meeting a dinner and automobile ride was enjoyed by the members. The fraternity is the result of a reunion of college classmates, now in business in Los Angeles. Plans are now made for building a $3000 clubhouse.

Celtic Folklore.

The Ruskin Art Club met yesterday under the leadership of Mrs. G. L. Hutchins. Folklore of various countries was the topic and Miss Letha Lewis explained that there is very little folklore of English origin. A paper, dealing with the history of Irish folklore, was read by Mrs. F. B. Long. Legends and superstitions connected with stone monuments in Ireland was discussed by Mrs. J. E. Crandall. The literature of the Celts, a paper showing the debt modern civilization owes to the Irish, and a paper telling of the first people to write verse, was read by Mrs. T. E. Fay.

Celts Will Welcome Her.

Among the social entertainments planned for Maud Powell, the famous violinist, during her coming visit to Los Angeles, the dinner to be given in her honor by the Celtic Club will probably be the most notable. Miss Powell was initiated into the society last year and her kinsmen and kinswomen of the old race intend to welcome her return in a memorable manner. In deference to the fact that Miss Powell is a Welsh Celt, the programme will consist mainly of Welsh songs, although Irish and Scotch music will also be rendered. The Celtic Club's Welsh quartette will sing the "The Land of My Fathers" and other national airs, and R. G. Roberts will sing the "The Men of Harlech." Leandro Campanari, Bruce Gordon Kingsley and other noted musicians will be among the invited guests. The dinner will be given at the Lankershim on Saturday evening.

BREVITIES.

Remember the slogan: "Buy and Boost Home Products." For daily reference, see page 10 part II of The Times, containing list of wide-awake manufacturers, under the heading "Made in Southern California." You will find there are manufacturers of necessities as well as luxuries here—manufacturers of things to eat and drink—things for the home, the factory, the office and the farm. Buy them! Try them! There are none better. Buy and Boost, and keep your money at home where it will do you and yours the most good!

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Thousands of andirons, fire sets, grates, sparkguards, retailed at wholesale prices. J. W. Frey's Mantel House, cor. 12th and Los Angeles sts.

Wreden Packing and Provision Company, 129 South Main street, will continue their Saturday meat specials this week.

Peck & Chase Co., undertakers, now in their new building, 12th and Figueroa. Tel. Main 61, Home 52727.

High-grade fireproof safes cheaper than ever before at clearance sale of Parcell's Safe Co., 641 South Main.

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ON THE WAR GALLEY ASTREA, WITH ARRIUS.

III.

Three years have passed and Ben-Hur, in ignorance of the fate of his mother and sister, is a slave—a rower—on the Roman war galley Astrea, commanded by the Roman tribune Arrius, who has been sent with a fleet to exterminate the Aegean pirates who preyed upon the commerce of Rome with her rich provinces. The cavernous interior of the galley, or trireme, is dimly lighted by ancient lanterns. The slaves at either side, each handling a single great oar, are as white as the cloth wrapped about their half-naked bodies. A big brutal Roman sits on a low platform and beats time for the stroke of the oars. And here these slaves, "caitiffs and cut-throats from all the earth," toil at the creaking oars, Ben-Hur among them.

The tribune Arrius comes in and looks indifferently at the crew. His careless gaze stops at the figure in front and on the left. He notes that Ben-Hur is a man of good blood and asks him of what crime he has been accused. The young prince tells his story, protesting his innocence. "They all say that," replies the tribune. "Go back to your oar—but forward there, unlock Ben-Hur's chains." This he has ordered done because of his friendship for Prince Ithamar, the father of Ben-Hur. When Ben-Hur hears the Roman say that he had been stationed in Jerusalem and had known his father, he pleads with Arrius: "O, noble tribune! Think of me what thou wilt—but if thou knowest aught of my mother and sister, tell me—I beseech thee, tell me!"

The fog which has enveloped the trireme lifts and discloses the piratical enemy. Arrius attacks them, but his own galley is boarded and sunk. In the struggle the tribune is wounded, but his life is saved by Ben-Hur, who takes him in his arms and leaps with him into the sea. Thus the dark picture of human misery is relieved by a dash of generosity and a bit of gratitude. Adrift in the open sea, Ben-Hur, supporting the wounded and helpless Arrius, clings to a fragment of the floating wreck until a Roman trireme comes to the rescue, Arrius in his gratitude adopts Ben-Hur, whom he designs to make a great soldier. To this end Ben-Hur enters the palestrae at Rome and becomes a noted gladiator and charioteer.

VITAL RECORD { BIRTHS. DEATHS. MARRIAGES. DIVORCE.

Deaths.

GREENOUGH. At her residence, No. 1258 West Twenty-second street, December 1, 1908, Jennie F., beloved wife of James F. Greenough. Funeral services under the auspices of Westlake Chapter, O.E.S., will be held in the chapel of Orr & Edwards Co., corner Tenth and Flower streets, Thursday, December 3, 1908, at 2 o'clock p.m. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery.

BENDER. At Sierra Madre Villa Sanitorium, Monday, November 30, 1908, Jane Gault Bender, wife of Wilson S. Bender, daughter of the late Hester E. Gault and niece of William M. Holland. Funeral services will be held at Brasee Brothers chapel, 855 S. Figueroa st., Thursday, 2 o'clock. Interment Odd Fellows Cemetery. San Francisco papers please copy.

ZAZUETA. Los Angeles, Nov. 30, 1908, Mrs. Eloisa Zazueta, aged 48 years. Funeral Thursday from Brasee Bros., 855 S. Figueroa to St. Mary's Church where services will be held at 10:30.

HAWKINS. In this city, Katherine Elizabeth Hawkins, mother of Mrs. Irene Mohn of San Diego. Funeral services (Friday,) December 4, at 10 a.m., from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., 310 South Flower street. Friends invited. Interment, private.

WALFORD. In Alhambra, Cal., November 30, 1908, Rev. James E. Walford, aged 37 years. Funeral services today at 1 p.m., from the residence, 122 South Second street, Alhambra, Cal. Interment, Rosedale Cemetery, Los Angeles.

WELLS. At Seal Gardens, December 2, Mrs. Murray E. Wells, aged 30 years. Funeral from the chapel of Overholtzer & Mills Co., Pico and Grand avenue, Friday, December 4, at 10 o'clock.

HOCK. In this city, Dec. 2, 1908, Julia Hock. Funeral from the chapel of Orr & Edwards Co. this (Thursday) morning at 10 o'clock.

GREEN. In Los Angeles, Dec. 2, Jane A. Green, age 79 years. Funeral services from Brasee Bros.' chapel, 855 S. Figueroa st., Thursday at 2:30 p.m.

BURKHALTER. At Sacramento, December 2, Dennis Burkhalter, of 2309 Scarff street, this city. Funeral notice later.

DUTTON. George F. Dutton. Funeral services will be held under the auspices of the Samson Lodge of K. P., from his late residence at Grand boulevard and Tropico avenue, Tropico, Friday, December 4, 1908, at 1:30 p.m. Friends invited. Interment, private.

ASHMAN. At her late home, 729 East Thirty-second street, Elizabeth, beloved wife of James Ashman, mother of Mrs. Irene Dutton and Bart Ashman. Friends may call at the home until Saturday, 1 p.m. Funeral Saturday, December 5, p.m., from St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral. Friends invited. Interment, Odd Fellows' Cemetery.

SETTLE. Eva Rebecca, died November 30, aged 21, beloved wife of S. E. Settle, niece of Mrs. L. M. John. Funeral 1:30 p.m. today from Pierce Bros.' chapel. Interment, Forest Lawn Cemetery.

WHEELER. In this city, December 1, Samuel W., 63 years, beloved husband of Mary J. Funeral Friday at 2 p.m., from late residence, 456 West Forty-second street, under the auspices of Court Morris Vineyard, No. 432, I.O.F. Interment, Inglewood Park.

Marriages.

STONE-M'LEAN. William F. Stone, aged 21, a native of Colorado, and Mary A. McLean, aged 21, a native of Prince Edward Island; both residents of Los Angeles.

GOODMAN-KUNKLE. Otis Edison Goodman, aged 21, a native of Ohio, and Lula C. Kunkle, aged 26, a native of Indiana; both residents of Los Angeles.

SANDS-MATZKO. Mason C. Sands, aged 23, a native of Wisconsin, and Anna C. Matzko, aged 27, a native of Minnesota; both residents of Los Angeles.

HOWARD-CHAFFEE. John H. Howard, aged 23, a native of Ohio, and a resident of Dayton, O., and Helen V. Chaffee, aged 20, a native of Kansas, and a resident of Los Angeles.

SWENEY-SKINNER. Clair B. Sweney, aged 23, a native of Illinois, and Ethel Skinner, aged 20, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

COULTAS-MADIGAN. Robert E. Coultas, aged 29, a native of Illinois, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Mary F. Madigan, aged 21, a native of Idaho, and a resident of Burbank.

COPES-LOWE. Wilson B. Copes, aged 27, a native of Texas, and May E. Lowe, aged 21, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

DECKER-SCHMIDT. Earnest F. Decker, aged 21, a native of California, and Clara I. Schmidt, aged 22, a native of Texas; both residents of Los Angeles.

DOLSEN-M'CLURE. Frank Dolson, aged 21, a native of Missouri, and Grace McClure, aged 26, a native of Ohio; both residents of Los Angeles.

ANDERSON-WOODARD. Edward Anderson, aged 18, a native of Kansas, and a resident of Ocean Park, and Bessie E. Woodard, aged 20, a native of Minnesota, and a resident of Sawtelle.

ENRIGHT-BENSER. Stratford N. Enright, aged 30, a native of California, and Hilda M. Benser, aged 24, a native of Minnesota; both residents of Los Angeles.

DOWNIE-HUTCHINSON. Frank L. Downie, aged 25, a native of Michigan, and Amy Hutchinson, aged 20, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

KUJADA-IBERRA. Ramon Kujada, aged 21, a native of California, and Diega M. Iberra, aged 18, a native of Mexico; both residents of Los Angeles.

REMLEY-CLARK. Charles C. Remley, aged 22, a native of Kansas, and Bertha A. Clark, aged 20, a native of Iowa; both residents of Whittier.

Divorce.

SUITS. Lavinia H. Cartledge against W. H. Cartledge; W. E. Spencer against Emily G. Spencer; Henrietta L. Rose against Lewis W. Rose.

DECREES. William Tilman against Helen Tilman; Isabella Miller against H. W. Miller.

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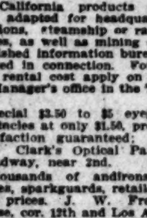

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All Our Laces Half Price
Duchess, Princess, Clunys, Mechlins, Venise, Valenciennes, Irish Crochet, Baby Irish, Net Tops and all our high class, as well as the more ordinary kinds, are going this week at half price.
All Bands, Edges and Medallions included, everything, in fact, in the lace stock, excepting allovers and nets. Buy now for future use.

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Of course, we have silk stockings for less than two-fifty, but really, we have never known stockings of THIS quality to be sold at that price. Three or three-fifty would be nearer their real value.
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BUBBLE BURSTED.

COPPER KING GREENE NOW "DOWN AND OUT."

Vast Fortune Swept Away from Man Long Figure in Southwest Mining Operations—Immense Interests in Other Hands.

COL. W. C. GREENE, one-time multi-millionaire and bright orb in the financial firmament of the Southwest and of the United States, is "down and out." It is conceded by many who are in a position to know, that the once dominant figure in copper and other mining interests, who was recently ill in Los Angeles, is practically eliminated from all properties and companies commonly known as Greene enterprises. One of the close-at-home indications of the straits in which the formerly wealthy man finds himself is the stoppage of work on the magnificent home he started at Redlands.

At the time of the consolidation of the Cananea-Central, the Cananea-Duluth and the Green Consolidated Copper Company, Col. Greene was a heavy stockholder in all the companies entering into the consolidation. Later, however, his interest was contracted until it amounted to practically nothing.

Among the properties turned into the consolidation by the Greene Consolidated was the Sierra Madre Land and Lumber Company. This Greene desired to control, and a deal was made whereby he acquired it, and the Greene-Cananea Copper Company, the holding company, took his notes for $600,000 as part payment. These notes were not paid, and control has passed to the holding company.

Greene's interests were then confined to the south of the mountain, in the Greene Gold-Silver Company, the Sierra Madre Land and Lumber Company and the Rio Grande Sierra and Pacific Railway. He has resigned from the directorate of all the merged companies except the Cananea Central, and also as vice-president of the Greene-Cananea Copper Company.

HOLDINGS HYPOTHECATED.

Thomas F. Cole, while in Mexico recently, stated that Col. Greene was still a heavy stockholder in the various companies controlled by the Greene-Cananea, but his holdings were known to have been hypothecated to the limit at that time, and later the action of his creditors forced him out of all of these companies and ousted him from the later companies he created.

Only a few months ago, with several months' wages and salaries unpaid at the mill and mines, and creditors levying upon everything in sight, the mill operated for the benefit of, and practically by his creditors, Col. Greene was taken ill and left the country, going to Japan.

Then his creditors made a close haul and levied upon his sheep, cattle and everything in which he had any interest, in a wild endeavor to save something from the wreck of his once great fortune.

Col. W. C. Greene,
former Cananea mining king, now eliminated from all the companies in which he figured, and his once great fortune reduced to a wreck.

The companies with which Col. Greene was prominently identified and which are commonly known as Greene enterprizes, but with which he is no longer connected, in addition to the Greene Gold-Silver, the Sierra Madre L. & L., and the Rio Grande, Sierra Madre and Pacific Railway, are the Cananea Consolidated Copper Company, whose stock is controlled by the Greene Consolidated Copper Company, and the San Pedro Copper Company and the Cananea Development Company, the stocks of which are controlled by the Cananea Central Copper Company.

The Greene-Cananea Copper Company, a United States holding company, holds a majority of the stock of both the Cananea Central and Greene Consolidated Copper Companies and controls all of the properties of the combination in the Cananea district.

MANY CORPORATIONS.

Thomas F. Cole of Duluth is president of the Greene Cananea, W. D. Thornton of the Greene Consolidated and L. D. Ricketts president and general manager of the Cananea Consolidated. Ricketts is also general manager of the San Pedro Copper Company and the Cananea Development Company, of which latter two L. W. Powell is president. James Hoatson is president of the Cananea Central.

The San Pedro owns the San Pedro mines, the concentrated plants, smelters, and all the narrow gauge railways belonging to the Cananea Consolidated.

The present organizations were effected and officers elected on February 1, 1906. An election of officers of the Cananea Consolidated will be held next month.

That there was some wild extravagance in connection with the Sierra Madre Land and Lumber Company at Madera, Chihuahua, is beyond doubt. For a good deal of this Col. Greene does not appear to be personally responsible. Other things he sanctioned

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CLOSER TOUCH WITH HAWAII.

First Big Direct Shipment from Los Angeles Will Leave San Pedro Today.

Hawaii is at last to see the products of Southern California at their best. The first carload of goods ever shipped directly from Los Angeles to the islands will leave tomorrow. Rivers Bros. Co. gathered the cargo, which is consigned to a large produce house of Honolulu. The Los Angeles-Hawaiian Commercial Company will carry the cargo in a steamer from San Pedro harbor. Included in the shipment, valued at $2000, are hot-house cucumbers and tomatoes; oranges, lemons, grapefruit, prunes, figs, apples, pears, walnuts, pecans, almonds and brown Australian onions. Special cases have been built to carry fifty boxes of fine Red Emperor grapes.

Heretofore San Francisco has had a monopoly of the Hawaiian trade. With the entrance of Los Angeles dealers into the field, competition is expected to become keen. Direct shipments to Hawaii through San Pedro mean the saving of heavy rail freights from Los Angeles to San Francisco. Return shipments of pineapples through San Pedro are expected.

TUMBLES FAR DOWN BLUFF.

Man Drops Hundred Feet, Lands in Soft Clay and Is Only Dazed When Pulled Out.

Jim Johnson, a teamster employed by the Puente Oil Company, fell, slid and rolled 100 feet over the embankment at Court Terrace and Broadway, last night, and escaped unhurt. The place from which he tumbled is about sixty feet south of the Court Flight incline road.

A crowd saw him fall, having watched him as he stumbled about on the verge of the bluff. He landed in the mud at its base.

He was so firmly imbedded in the clay that it required the combined efforts of three men to pull him free. The police were notified that a man had been fatally injured, and Johnson was hurried to the Receiving Hospital. He was found to be only dazed, but could not talk for some time.

When he recovered his speech the police surgeon asked him what caused him to fall.

"Because there was no place to catch hold of and stop myself," was the reply. "Do you think I did it for fun? My feet slipped out from under me and the next thing I knew a lot of fellows had me by the arms. They nearly pulled me in two before I came loose. Gee, but that mud was sticky."

Officers who investigated the case stated later that the fact that Johnson fell in the clay saved his life. He appeared to have been drinking.

ANOTHER RESURRECTION.

Thirty years ago some exceedingly rich, silver-lead ore was gouged out of a shaft, known as the Groom mine, located in the Timpahute range, Lincoln county, Nevada, about sixty-five miles northeast of Rhyolite and about equally distant from Pioche and Goldfield. Prominent operators in the latter camp have gained possession of the old Groom and are doing active development. The surface showing at the site of the shaft is said to be very fine, and in a crosscut at a depth of seventy feet, fifteen feet of ore, running 50 per cent. lead, twenty-four ounces in silver and over $1 in gold, has been opened up, according to one of the owners. He is also authority for the statement that a concentrator will be erected on the property soon. Among those interested in the resurrection of the old producer are T. D. Murphy, E. H. Wedekind, L. L. Patrick and the firm of Loftus & Davis, all prominent in Goldfield's rapid rise.

SHIPPING ORE TO WALES.

One of the first shipments of ore which will be made over the Southern Pacific to Guaymas from the Cananea district, Mexico, will be 13,000 tons from the Catalina group, of the Calumet and Sonora, and consigned to Swansea, Wales, where it is worth net $126 per ton.

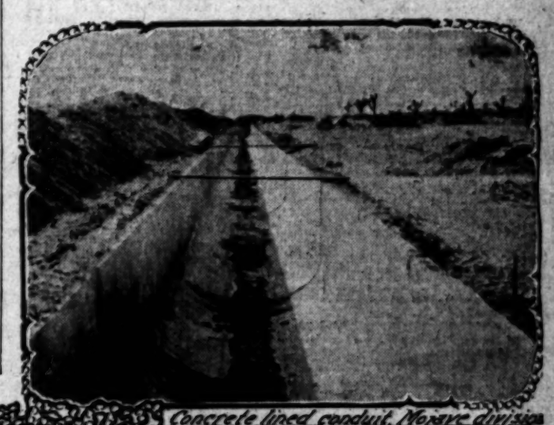
This is the first of a series of shipments contracted with the Wales smelter, and will be taken to Guaymas and thence by leased boats direct to Wales. Heretofore this ore has not been shipped in quantities, as there was no outlet to markets which did not penalize certain minerals in the ore. Small lots have been shipped to Douglas and El Paso, but the bulk has been stored.

HUSTLING WATER.

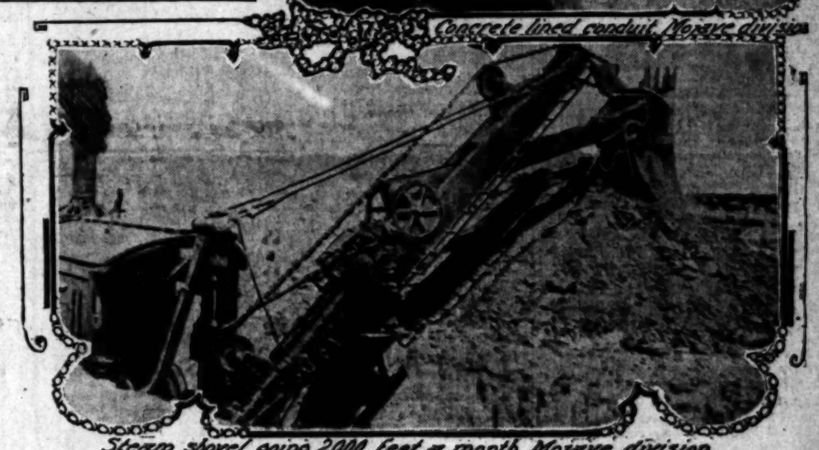
AQUEDUCT MAKING GIGANTIC STRIDES.

Plans for the Next Twelve Months to Add Fifty-eight Miles and to Require the Expenditure of Five Million Dollars.

GIGANTIC are the strides of the Los Angeles Aqueduct. By fidelity to the basic preliminaries, which have taken two years to build, the engineers have conquered all strategic points of the great conquest for a water supply for the city, and are driving through the hills and cutting the open conduit at accelerating speed. Though the actual beginnings of the real system are but months old, the abundant and economical progress of a well-disciplined and enthusiastic army of workmen justified William Mulholland, chief engineer, to place a Titanic task before the army, in the plans for the next twelve months, submitted to the Board of Public Works yesterday. He expects to build fifty-eight miles of the great aqueduct in the next year at a cost approximating $5,000,000. He has set his gauge on the most difficult parts of the task. Four years is the limit set for completion of the task.



Concrete lined conduit, Mojave division.



Steam shovel going 2000 feet a month, Mojave division.

Bringing the Owens River from the Mountains to the City.
Two views showing the progress of the Los Angeles Aqueduct. The conduit pictured above is put through, covered and complete, at less cost than the original estimate of the Board of Consulting Engineers, without cover.

Reporting substantial progress in the work on the aqueduct, Chief Engineer Mulholland, in his third annual report to the Board of Public Works, submitted a forecast showing that the work laid out for the year ending November 30, 1909, will add 58 miles of constructed aqueduct and will entail a cost of $4,663,618.

The report was received just after the board had awarded a contract for the construction of the Antelope Valley division to Perry A. Howard at a cost of $529,009, to be completed within two years from date. The annual report comprises 165 typewritten pages, many photographs of the work and machinery, and scores of maps and blue prints to show what has been done. It will be followed this week by reports from Auditor Nelson, showing the financial affairs of the aqueduct, its salary pay roll, material and contract accounts and the like, and a report from Storekeeper Ormsby, showing an inventory of what is now on hand and what has been used in the past year, with its cost. Ormsby's report will show an expenditure of more than a million dollars for materials and machinery during the last year, this large sum including no pay-roll accounts. The board will ask the Council to print the Mulholland report.

SUBSTANTIAL PROGRESS.

In his letter to the board, accompanying the report, Mr. Mulholland thus summarizes the situation to date:

"The annual report herewith submitted by the engineering department of the Los Angeles aqueduct is the first to record substantial progress in the actual construction of the aqueduct. It would be rare to find a case in the annals of important engineering construction where the saying 'Well begun is half done' would apply with greater force.

"The preliminary work necessary to properly enable construction work to begin has been appalling in its magnitude and expense, and must have

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BURGLAR ON JUMP SHOT AT BY A BOY.

CORNERED in a narrow hallway and facing a revolver in the hands of Lowell Entler, 16 years of age, a burglar sought safety by jumping from the second-story window of the Entler home last night.

The youthful hero is the son of N. M. Entler, a real estate dealer, living at No. 1828 South Flower street, who told of the boy's experience soon afterward.

Shortly after 9 o'clock the family, sitting in one of the rooms on the first floor, heard strange noises coming from an upper apartment. Lowell Entler quietly arose and left the room. On the upper landing he came face to face with a strange man.

The burglar had evidently just left one of the sleeping apartments and was in the hall when the boy came upon him. Lowell stood perfectly still while the burglar drew his pocket flash lamp and turned it upon him.

As the intruder turned to walk down the hall, young Entler screamed at the top of his voice. He then rushed to a front apartment, where he secured his father's revolver.

Returning, he met the burglar in the hall. The man's escape was cut off from the lower apartments by the elder Entler, who was hurrying to his son's assistance.

As Lowell leveled the revolver the burglar attempted to draw his own weapon. The gun caught in his pocket, and with an oath he jumped toward the boy.

As he did so Lowell pulled the trigger, the bullet going wide of his mark. Fearing instant death in the narrow hallway, with the boy in pursuit, the burglar made a dash for one of the front rooms.

Lowell, following him, fired a second and then a third shot. At the last report the burglar screamed and put his hand to his shoulder. At the same moment he staggered to the window. By that time the lad was close on his heels. The hallway was filled with smoke from the shooting, and the youth had to grope his way.

The burglar was taking no chances. With a last look at the boy with the gun, he leaped headlong from the window to the ground below.

When members of the family reached the front yard, the form of a man was seen hurrying rapidly south.

Spots on the grass in front of the house indicate that the intruder may have been wounded. The injury must, however, have been superficial, because of the alacrity with which the man made his escape.

To Detectives Hawley and McKenzie, who investigated the case, the members of the Entler family made no mention of the shooting, merely reporting the loss of $15, which the burglar had taken from a small bank in one of the rooms.

Entrance to the house was obtained by climbing over the front porch.

MORE THE MERRIER.

WIDESPREAD RAINS BRING GOOD CHEER.

MUCH more general and widespread, the rain of the past twenty-four hours is welcomed in almost every district of Southern California. Reports from Bakersfield are of a light rain with promises of a heavier fall today, while from San Diego is news of a steady, though light fall, and even in Imperial county, rain is announced as falling. The Thanksgiving eve rain did not reach San Diego and was only felt along the coast line, while this downpour extends into the mountains and dry spots of the earth.

Among all the southern counties, Los Angeles apparently has had the most thorough soaking from this storm. In this city over half an inch of rain had fallen up to 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, according to the official weather man, and from that time it continued steadily up to midnight. But in other parts of Southern California the valleys were not so lucky. In San Bernardino the difference between the rainfall in the valley and the mountains appears more like a freak of nature than the record of a well-behaved storm.

Throughout the county the greatest good has been accomplished. Since the last rain, thousands of acres have been plowed and sowed with grain, mostly barley, and the present downfall means earlier crops and a greater return to the ranchers for their work. Among the citrus fruit growers the rain is also welcome, for at this time it will help greatly to mature the crop for the holidays, especially if the rain is followed by plenty of sunshine and warm weather.

Today the forecast of the Weather Bureau is for cloudy weather and light rains, with a light east wind, which usually means more rain.

At 1 o'clock this morning the total rainfall for the day as measured by The Times gauge, was .30 of an inch, of which .60 of an inch fell before 5 o'clock in the afternoon and .30 of an inch after that time. This makes a total for the season, according to The Times gauge, of 3.54 inches. Last season at this time the record was 1.19.

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THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Opposition is expected at tonight's meeting in the Council chamber to discuss proposed new fire limits and changes in the building ordinance.

Holding that no case was made, Justice Summerfield yesterday dismissed a charge against Fred Dorr and Maurice Vaughn of having embezzled $8000 from W. T. Coatsworth last June.

At the request of W. C. Watkins, Judge Rives dismissed a petition for the appointment of a guardian for David Van Buren Hallam.

A dispute between Attorneys Appel and Horton occurred during the preliminary examination of W. H. Carlson before Justice Selph, on an embezzlement charge.

Eye-witnesses described the shooting of Charles Markham by Fred Markham during the latter's trial for murder in Judge Wilbur's court.

Testimony for the defense was concluded in Department One in Robert Mitchell's trial on a charge of voting twice at the primary election last August.

AT THE CITY HALL.

NEW FIRE LINES STIR OPPONENTS.

CITY OFFICIALS IN FEAR OF HILL DISTRICT.

Want to Have It Restricted so That Frame Structures May not Fill It to Danger Point—Modifications of Building Ordinance—Meeting to Consider Tonight.

Whether the fire limits of Los Angeles shall be extended to include the hill district between First and Temple streets, west of Bunker Hill avenue to Figueroa street, and between Main street and Figueroa, and Pico and Washington streets will be determined tonight at a meeting of all interests at the Council chamber.

The meeting has been called to consider the ordinance, and the changes it also provides in the building ordinance affecting the districts named and others. Opposition is expected to the extensions provided for, especially the south district. Councilman Ciampitt is leading the opposition to the northwestern extension, but his opposition will be met by the support of Building Inspector Backus and Fire Chief Lips, who favor extending the lines over what they regard as dangerous territory.

Mr. Backus said last night that he was indifferent to the south extension, but that if the lines are to be extended at all, the beginning should be made in the northwest hills. This region, if unrestricted, is likely to fill up with inflammable structures and become a grave source of danger. Chief Lips also regards the region as needing fire restrictions.

The proposed modifications of the building ordinance in certain portions of the fire limits is to permit repairs to frame structures not in excess of 20 per cent, and in no case to exceed $1500 based on the valuation of the building.

It is also proposed to permit owners of one-story frame buildings to elevate them and build a first floor of brick class A construction.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

LIFTS CHARGE AGAINST DORR.

ACTION FILED BY COATSWORTH DISMISSED BY COURT.

Allegation of Embezzlement not Proved, Defense Showing That Order for Purchase of Stock for Plaintiff Had Been Sent East. Surprise Sprung by Broker.

As records were produced showing that Fred Dorr had bought 100 shares of Atchison common stock for W. T. Coatsworth last June at 79 7-8, according to Coatsworth's order, Justice Summerfield yesterday dismissed Coatsworth's charge that Dorr and his manager, Maurice Vaughn, had embezzled $8000 of their customer's money.

Coatsworth testified that on June 18 he visited Dorr's office, left a check for $750, and instructed the purchase for his account of 100 shares of Atchison common at 79 7-8. He was notified by Vaughn on June 24 that the stock was bought for him, per order, the day before. Coatsworth called, gave his check for $7250, and ordered that the stock certificate be made out in his name.

He called again July 11, and inquired after the stock. Dorr was in and asked when he bought it. Dorr told Coatsworth the stock had not arrived. Not hearing from him and seeing some time later a bulletin that Dorr was embarrassed, Coatsworth called again. Dorr and Vaughn were not in. This produced a telegram from Vaughn a few days later that everything was all right, and on July 13 Dorr wrote, saying that the certificate had arrived, made out to W. S. Coatsworth, and had been sent back that the mistake in initials might be corrected.

Coatsworth heard nothing more till August 2, and Vaughn then said the certificate had not arrived. He had not seen the certificate, and didn't know what to think. Dorr tried to explain the matter to Coatsworth at a creditor's meeting on November 25, and Coatsworth refused to agree to any compromise of his claim. Again, at an interview last Friday, Dorr tried to get Coatsworth to consent to accept a note by Dorr and his wife for $2500 in part payment of his claim, and he had refused.

Under cross-examination, Coatsworth said he knew Dorr had not bought the stock because he had a letter from Atchison headquarters that no stock had been issued in Coatsworth's name. He said he would not believe any statement Dorr might make, and denied that on last Friday he offered to call off the criminal proceedings if Dorr would pay him his money.

Coatsworth said at first that Dorr offered him $2500 cash on Friday, but then admitted it was a note. He said he believed Dorr has money hidden away, as he has a letter from one of Dorr's relatives to this effect. Dorr had told him he is now living on money advanced by his friends. Coatsworth's checks were then introduced in evidence, and the prosecution rested.

For the defense, John V. Dis, former telegraph operator in Dorr's office, identified his own memorandums showing that on June 11 he telegraphed to Harris, Winthrop & Co., New York brokers, an open order for the purchase of 100 shares of Atchison common for Coatsworth. He also identified a New York telegram of June 13, showing that the stock had been bought for Coatsworth, as ordered.

Carroll Allen, trustee for Dorr, testified that he had examined the New York books of Harris, Winthrop & Co. and had found regular entries of the purchase of the stock credited there to Dorr's account. He also testified that Dorr's local accounts show that, on the dates in question, the stock was bought and credited to Coatsworth, and that no other purchase of Atchison common was made by Dorr about that time. Records and accounts were produced in evidence.

Counsel for Dorr sprang a surprise on Coatsworth, who had asserted that he knew Dorr had never bought the stock, by producing his own sworn statement as a creditor of Dorr, that he did not know whether or not Dorr had bought the stock for him. Coatsworth admitted the claim he has filed as a Dorr creditor, but did not explain his action in filing it on November 21.

MITCHELL'S DEFENSE.

RECALLS ONLY ONE VOTE.

An assertion by Robert Mitchell that at the count of ballots in Precinct No. 27, in the primary election last August, he saw Election Inspector F. W. Partridge pocket some ballots and later make up the tally from them, gave rise to extended examination of witnesses yesterday in Department One, in Mitchell's trial on a felony charge of repeating at the election.

C. P. Mackay and H. R. Conant, called by the defense, testified that, before the final count was made, Partridge placed several ballots in his pocket. After the count, the number of votes did not agree with the tally sheet. Partridge was reminded by bystanders of the votes in his pocket, took them out, and added a sufficient number to make the number of ballots correspond with the names on the tally sheets.

Partridge took the stand, and said that all the ballots he put in his pocket were spoiled ones handed him by election officers. He said he put them in his pocket for safety, and that he did not use any of them to make up the count, as had been said, because the ballots in the boxes corresponded in number with the names on the tally lists. After the count, he took all the spoiled ballots, strung them together, and put them in the proper envelope.

J. J. Mountain testified that he put in the box all votes deposited that morning until 11 o'clock, and said, positively, that Mitchell voted but once during that time. S. M. Reeves and Claud Mathewson testified that Mitchell approached them the afternoon of election day, told them that, by comparing names on the roster, he had discovered he had voted twice, and asked their advice. They said they urged him not to make a statement to the election officials, as he proposed, but to wait until after 6 o'clock, which he did.

Mitchell corroborated this testimony himself, and said that he now thinks he made a mistake in jumping at a conclusion from an examination of the roster. He said he remembers having voted but once that day, about 10:30 o'clock. He said that when he made a demand in the morning for a legally constituted election board, some bystanders yelled to put him out, but he was not molested.

Mitchell concluded his presentation of evidence by calling a number of character witnesses, of whom D. K. Hume was first. Mitchell asked Hume to testify as to knowledge of the defendant's veracity, honesty and good citizenship. Deputy District Attorney J. C. North objected to the technical irregularity of the question. Mitchell said it was correct in form, and asserted that his law book sanctioned the question.

"This book is written by an eminent authority, Your Honor," he said. "Both from the contents of the book and from other sources, I am told that if I will always stick by this book I can never go wrong on questions of law."

"That appears to be a valuable book, Mr. Mitchell," said the court. "I'd like to examine it. But in the meantime, I think you had better adopt Mr. North's suggestion."

As Mitchell was not certain as to the precise form of the question, he asked North to put it for him, which North obligingly did. All Mitchell's witnesses testified to his good character.

Argument will begin this morning.

LAWYER BELLIGERENT.

CARLSON CASE ENLIVENED.

Counsel in W. H. Carlson's examination on a charge of embezzling $4500 of Consolidated Bank funds varied the even tenor of argument on the admissibility of evidence yesterday by what at first promised to be a fist fight in court.

Attorney H. H. Appel, who was cross-examining Raymond E. Jones as to his conversations with Bank Commissioner Sherer and Evan Lewis, receiver of the Consolidated Bank, was making extended remarks which Deputy District Attorney G. Ray Horton asked to have stricken from the record as irrelevant.

"I suppose you'd like to have me stricken out, too, wouldn't you?" Appel inquired.

"Yes," replied Horton.

Then Appel called Horton a "contemptible skunk," a "contemptible rascal," and other names, and started toward him in a threatening manner, while Horton remained in his seat without replying. Messrs. Gage and Foley, of Carlson's counsel, urged Appel to calm himself. Justice Selph also called for order and informed Appel that he would not continue the hearing until the row ended. Finally apologies passed, and argument on the admissibility of evidence was resumed.

The prosecution moved to admit certified copies of the Consolidated Bank account with the Royal Bank of Canada. Argument on this motion lasted more than two hours, and the motion was finally denied. The examination of Jones elicited little that was new.

This morning the court will hear argument on a motion by the defense to continue the hearing to a later date. Jones was subpoenaed yesterday to give testimony for the defense.

NEPHEW SACKS DOWN.

PEACE WITH AGED UNCLE.

After hearing a detailed explanation yesterday afternoon, by counsel for W. C. Watkins, of the reasons that led Watkins to ask the court to dismiss his petition for the appointment of a guardian for his uncle, David Van B. Hallam, Judge Rives expressed himself as satisfied that the aged man's interests are fully protected, and dismissed the petition.

Watkins filed his petition last week and secured an order from the court directing the County Clerk to refuse Hallam a license for his marriage to Mrs. Ola Hicks, pending a decision on the guardianship matter. In his petition Watkins alleged that his aged uncle was mentally incompetent, was possessed of a mania to marry any woman who would have him, though he has been blind and sick for twenty years, and was so dominated by Mrs. Hicks that he proposed to marry her without delay, having already deeded to her his $100,000 estate.

When Hallam heard of his nephew's action he hurried away to Santa Ana and was married there to Mrs. Hicks. He was cited to appear in court yesterday morning, but did not appear, as his nephew's counsel then moved to dismiss the petition.

Judge Rives said that Hallam must appear in court in the afternoon, as it is the especial duty of the court to see that incompetent persons are protected in their rights by the appointment of a guardian.

Obeying the court's order, the aged blind man and his wife appeared in court in the afternoon. Counsel for Watkins asked leave to explain to the court more fully the condition of Hallam's affairs, before beginning the taking of evidence.

A detailed statement was then made of the disposal by Hallam of his property. It appears that, though Hallam deeded all his property to Mrs. Hicks before his marriage, the deeds were all placed in escrow, to be delivered to her only after his death. Further, the property settlement provided explicitly in every way that Hallam shall enjoy the full benefit of his income during his life.

The court expressed the opinion that the property settlement protected the old man's rights, and said he was satisfied with the explanation.

"I was actuated solely by a desire for my uncle's welfare," said Watkins last evening. "I have never asked my uncle for a dollar and never have received a dollar from him. When I lived at his house I even paid his laundry bills. I felt that his condition was such that I must see that his interests and rights are protected. For that reason alone I brought the action, and I think it best for my uncle's happiness that it be now dismissed.

"I was not a San Francisco refugee: I came to this city about two years ago, established myself in the manufacturing business within sixty days, and have never in any way depended on my uncle or looked to him for anything."

KILLED BROTHER.

EVIDENCE OVERWHELMING.

J. W. Mills, a showman, testified positively in the Fred Markham murder trial in Judge Wilbur's court yesterday that Markham fired the shot that killed his brother, Charles, at their blacksmith shop in San Fernando, on September 19.

Mills said that he and Markham had returned to the shop to secure some tools before going that evening to the theater, where Charles Markham, whose face was blacked, was to take part in a show. As they left the shop, Charles remarked to Fred, who was standing out side, "Hello, Spud," to which Fred replied, "Go away, don't talk to me, I've heard that before."

"Almost at once, Fred fired at his brother, who fell in a heap. Fred then said, "You fellows will get what you are looking for if you stay here," and Mills and Allen, another witness, at once ran away.

Joseph H. Hutchings, who appeared after the shooting, testified that Charles Markham said his brother had shot him. Hutchings then turned to Fred and asked, "Did you shoot him?" to which Fred replied, "Yes." The dying man was then carried under shelter, Fred disappeared, and later at night Charles Markham again said his brother had shot him.

Thomas Mills said he saw Fred fire the fatal shot. George Dickerson and S. M. Smith corroborated the testimony. Dr. E. H. Garrett testified as to the result of the autopsy held on Markham's body.

The prosecution will probably conclude its case by noon today.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

ATTACKS MARRIAGE. Christ Hansen yesterday filed in the Superior Court a suit against Edward A. Rehor to annul the latter's marriage, October 17, to Hansen's daughter, Mrs. Nellie Hansen Rehor. The plaintiff asserts that his daughter is only 17 years old, and that Rehor misrepresented her age when he secured a marriage license without the consent of the girl's parents.

AUTO IS BUMPED. M. D. Snowball and others yesterday filed in the Superior Court a suit for $1'00 damages against the J. R. Newberry Company and others. The plaintiffs allege that the delivery wagon team of the defendant was negligently left unhitched in a Pasadena alley, November 7, and ran away and collided with the plaintiff's automobile, which was wrecked.

GETS DIVORCE. Mrs. Bertha L. Neighbours secured a divorce from Attorney Burrell D. Neighbours in Department 7 yesterday, on grounds of cruelty. Mrs. Neighbours testified that since August, 1907, her husband has frequented the society of a Mrs. Edith Lemon, who has written him endearing letters. She said that Neighbours has remained away from home late at night in Mrs. Lemon's company and told his wife that he would leave her if she would not leave him.

SAYS HE IS HURT. A jury in Judge Houser's court heard evidence yesterday in J. P. Shumway's personal injury suit against the Los Angeles Railway for $10,355 damages. The plaintiff says he suffers permanent injuries from shock as a result of a collision between his team and a trolley car at Eleventh street and Westlake avenue, November 11, 1907. The defendant denies that its car was operated negligently, as charged.

GRAND JURY MEETS. The grand jury held morning and afternoon sessions yesterday, adjourning to meet again tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. T. L. Woolwine, Mrs. Lucile Workman, Mme. Mignon, and Curt Waldenfeldt, were examined during the day. Other witnesses in attendance were A. Berecothea, A. Ferrario, Nick Quierolo, Ben Kingsberger, H. G. Weyse, B. F. Combs and W. H. Preston.

INCORPORATIONS. Articles of incorporation were filed yesterday with the County Clerk by the Consolidated Reservoir and Power Company, capital stock $1,000,000; Maxwell-Briscoe-Los Angeles Company, capital stock $25,000. The Western Engraving Company of Chicago gave notice of a change in name to Western Bank Note and Engraving Company.

PERSONAL.

T. J. Daly, a real estate dealer of San Diego, is spending a week at the Nadeau.

William Tevis, the millionaire landowner of Bakersfield, is a guest at the Van Nuys.

Dr. J. N. Crookes, a practicing physician of Chicago, is at the Nadeau for the week.

F. H. Jones and wife are registered at the Alexandria. He is a planter of Jackson, Miss.

H. Whitaker and wife of Vancouver, B. C., have returned to the Angelus from a trip to Coronado.

O. H. Wharton, connected with iron and steel foundries in Pittsburgh, is registered at the Alexandria.

Miles Morgan, a Chicago broker, accompanied by his wife, has taken apartments at the Lankershim.

S. A. D. Upton, an attorney of Tombstone, Ariz., and H. S. Newton and wife of Hart, Nev., are guests at the Hollenbeck. Mr. Newton is proprietor of the Hart Hotel.

R. H. Andrews, a wealthy wholesale hardware merchant of Tarrytown, N. Y., is a guest at the Hayward.

Carl Fink, a tourist of Turin, Italy, arrived yesterday at the Alexandria from the Grand Canon, Arizona.

W. P. Smith of Portland, Or., is at the Hollenbeck. He is secretary of the Lumbermen's Exchange of that city.

B. P. Cheney, well known railway magnate of Boston, accompanied by his wife and her maid, is at the Van Nuys.

J. Ross Clark, second vice-president of the Salt Lake Railroad, is in Pittsburgh attending the sessions of the American Mining Congress.

A party of women tourists now registered at the Angelus is composed of Mrs. Alice Orchard, Miss Helen A. Brown and Gertrude Polk, all of Chicago.

United States Senator Bert E. Nixon of Nevada, and Mrs. George S. Nixon and her maid, form a party of guests at the Alexandria. They register from Reno.

Mrs. Fred Hadro, Miss Mildred Hadro and Allen Hadro, accompanied by George H. Terrel, form a party of tourists registered at the Hollenbeck for a week's stay.

B. M. McGuire and R. N. Nixon of Seattle, Wash., are guests at the Nadeau. They have mining interests in this section of the country and are on a tour of inspection.

H. A. Gallagher arrived yesterday at the Westminster from San Francisco. He is a large stockholder in the American Chicle Company, and is here in the interests of that concern.

F. N. Janifer, traveling passenger agent of the Tonopah and Tidewater, is at the Hayward. William Gorham of the Gorham Rubber Company of San Francisco is also there.

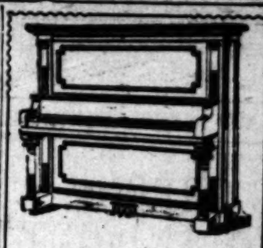
Ex-Judge James Reilly of Tombstone, Ariz., is a guest at the Hollenbeck. Mr. Reilly, who is one of the most widely-known attorneys in the Territory, is advisor for the Martin Costello and other interests.

Franklin Leonard, a retired mining man of Sutro, Nev., arrived at the Angelus yesterday. He was accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. J. E. Minnie, and her two children. The entire party will remain here over the winter.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Postal Telegraph Company, No. 421 South Spring street, for H. C. Newhall, Claude L. Tureman, J. H. Wilkens, Mrs. T. Ingraham, also a cablegram for "Sawyer."

John D. Armstrong, Pittsburgh broker, yesterday made an assignment to Chapman and Rainbow, attorneys. Failure to realize on paper caused the suspension. The amount involved could not be ascertained at present, but it is stated the personal assets exceeded the liabilities.



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MINES AND MINING.

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Legislation Wipes Out Grog. Nature Does Rest.

A mining camp without a saloon o gambling resort! What would some of the old-timers think and say if they were suddenly landed in such a heretofore unheard of spot? Yet that appears to be the condition which prevails in the booming camp of Sylvanite, down in the southwestern corner of New Mexico, according to a reliable informant of The Times, who has just returned from an inspection of this latest scramble for gold. The New Mexico Legislature, at its last session, enacted a stringent anti-gambling law, which is being enforced more or less vigorously. The result is that no "bucking the tiger" is seen, nor is there heard the festive whir of the spinning roulette ball. In addition to this, another New Mexico law provides that no new thirst-quenching emporium may be opened for business for a certain period before and after an election. And water is $1 a gallon!

The New Mexico Legislature had nothing to do with fixing the price of this fluid, but it has to be transported several miles on burros from several small springs which trickle barely enough for cooking and drinking purposes.

Transportation facilities, up to a few days ago, were so inadequate that scarcely sufficient foodstuffs could be gotten into the camp to maintain the constantly-increasing horde of wealth-seekers, so that, in addition to being dry all the time, many of the inhabitants are hungry half the time. At only one place can one be tolerably certain of getting something to eat. This is a restaurant owned by a smart business woman from El Paso, who went in at the outbreak of the excitement with her own horses and wagon. In addition to managing the restaurant, she hauls passengers from the railroad station seventeen miles away and has a cinch on the transportation of her imported edibles.

It is probable that the freight congestion will not be relieved until a branch railroad is built to the camp. Freight is piled up at the station beyond the ability of the vehicles in the sparsely-settled country to move. As long as these can get passengers at $5 each to transport, flour, potatoes, bacon and canned goods will remain at the station.

The population of Sylvanite, while as mixed and varied a conglomeration of humanity as usually enters into a mad rush for gold, is much above the average in the matter of good order and general observance of the laws of the land. The absence of saloons may have a good deal to do with this condition. The owners of the townsite declare it to be their intention to keep them out forever, if it be possible.

Movements of Mining Men.

A. J. Culver, an original investor and director of the Butte Creek Consolidated Dredging Company, which is building a dredge costing $110,000 to work placer ground of about 1000 acres in Butte county, is at the Natick. He states that the big dredge will be completed and work begun about January 1.

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MINES AND MINING.

NEW MEXICANS HAVE DRY CAMP

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A mining camp without a saloon or gambling resort! What would some of the old-timers think and say if they were suddenly landed in such a heretofore unheard of spot? Yet that appears to be the condition which prevails in the booming camp of Sylvanite, down in the southwestern corner of New Mexico, according to a reliable informant of The Times, who has just returned from an inspection of this latest scramble for gold. The New Mexico Legislature, at its last session, enacted a stringent anti-gambling law, which is being enforced more or less rigorously. The result is that no "bucking the tiger" is seen, nor is there heard the festive whir of the spinning roulette ball. In addition to this, another New Mexico law provides that no new thirst-quenching emporium may be opened for business for a certain period before and after an election. And water is $1 a gallon!

The New Mexico Legislature had nothing to do with fixing the price of this fluid, but it has to be transported several miles on burros from several small springs which trickle barely enough for cooking and drinking purposes.

Transportation facilities, up to a few days ago, were so inadequate that scarcely sufficient foodstuffs could be gotten into the camp to maintain the constantly-increasing horde of wealth-seekers, so that, in addition to being dry all the time, many of the inhabitants are hungry half the time. At only one place can one be tolerably certain of getting something to eat. This is a restaurant owned by a smart business woman from El Paso, who went in at the outbreak of the excitement with her own horses and wagon. In addition to managing the restaurant, she hauls passengers from the railroad station seventeen miles away and has a cinch on the transportation of her imported edibles.

It is probable that the freight congestion will not be relieved until a branch railroad is built to the camp. Freight is piled up at the station beyond the ability of the vehicles in the sparsely-settled country to move. As long as these can get passengers at $5 each to transport, flour, potatoes, bacon and canned goods will remain at the station.

The population of Sylvanite, while as mixed and varied a conglomeration of humanity as usually enters into a mad rush for gold, is much above the average in the matter of good order and general observance of the laws of the land. The absence of saloons may have a good deal to do with this condition. The owners of the townsite declare it to be their intention to keep them out forever, if it be possible.

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HARROWING.

POLICE DASH INTO DOMESTIC TRAGEDY.

Tragedy of the baby and the police whistle.

TEN brave officers of the Los Angeles police force undertook to locate a noise on East First street shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday morning.

A patrolman, passing in the neighborhood of one of the many apartment-houses of the district, heard the shrill blast of a police whistle. He stopped and listened. Again the wild call. Drawing his revolver with one hand and his breath with the other, he dashed toward the spot whence he thought the noise came. It—the noise or anything else—was not there.

The officer sounded the call for reserves. Other patrolmen dashed up on the run, followed by a sergeant. The whistle kept up its appeal.

Frantically the patrolmen rushed from house to house, without result.

Suddenly rang out a piercing scream, then more and more.

Up dark stairways the policemen went, bumping into one another. They crawled through transoms and ran around the block several times. The wails and the police whistle continued.

The noise at last was located in an apartment-house. Up the steps the officers made their way, revolvers drawn.

From a room on the third floor a faint light streamed. The sounds came from within. Someone, evidently an insane man, cried from time to time, "Upsum doody, coochy coochy," immediately thereafter, a wild scream would smite the air, accompanied by a sound like that of furniture breaking.

"Steady men, rush the door and shoot to kill," whispered the sergeant.

Like a flying wedge, the brave officers hit the door, tearing it from its hinges.

A sleepy woman in bed gave a yell of fear and ducked under the covers.

In the center of the room a large bundle of blankets had been deposited upon a chair. From the center of the blanket appeared a tiny, round face set with a dimple in each cheek and a big dimple just under the nose. The dimple beneath the nose would open to a great dimension at intervals and from it emitted wild, piercing screams.

In front of the infant stood a man, hair mussed, and night gown flapping about his bare calves. His eyes shone with the light of insanity.

In his right hand he brandished a poker as if to brain the child; this he brought down frequently with a crash upon a near-by table. In his left hand he held a police whistle which he put to his mouth and blew, dancing the while about the floor like Salome in the wooly dance.

The baby set up a wail when the demonstrations ceased.

The sergeant sprang forward and caught the poker from the man's hand and forced him back against the wall. The baby ceased wailing.

"Shame on you, to strike a chee-ild," roared the officer.

"It's cawlic, the kid's got," ventured an Irish patrolman.

"Well, if you know so durn much about it, sit here and take care of it until I send a relief," said the sergeant, as he sent the distracted parent to bed and ambled out with the reserves.

So the Irish policeman sat down on the chair, placed the infant, face down, across his knees and gently patted its back.

And that ended the noise.

MONEY IN HIS SHOE.

Man With One Short Foot Utilizes the Space to Hold Cash, Causing Police Trouble.

Tom Kelly, a veteran with a deformed foot that does not fill his shoe, hid his money in the cavity when arrested Tuesday, and the wagon officer who overlooked the coin was suspended for one day. He tried the same trick again last night, and the temporary wagon officer would not have found the money had not a jail trusty warned him.

Kelly is a veteran of the Civil War, and was shot in the foot while in action. When it healed the injured member was two inches shorter than it's mate.

Tuesday evening Kelly was arrested for being drunk, and yesterday morning the trusty who cleans up the prisoners before they go to court discovered that he had $15 in his shoe.

After Kelly had paid his fine and had been released he still had plenty of money, so he went out for another spree. When he was arrested last night the hole in the shoe contained only $2.

PREPARING FOR BANQUET.

Preparations for the annual banquet of the Chamber of Commerce on the night of February 22 have already been begun. The following committee is in charge of preliminary arrangements: Louis M. Cole, chairman; H. S. McKee, W. G. Hunt, Carl E. McStay and A. L. Selig.

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Editorial Pen Points

When last heard from, both Arizona and New Mexico were all ready with their stars and the pins.

Were you where you could hear the rain dancing on the roof? Then it was the fine music you listened to.

The man who grows things—and he's the man who counts most of all—is out in the open throwing his hat in the air. Reason: The rain.

With the revolutionists in control of pretty near the whole works, the election in Hayti may be said to have ended happily for all concerned.

Contrary entirely to what the Democrats said, Mr. Taft appears to be already doing things without asking the consent of Col. Roosevelt.

Little Pu Yi was crowned yesterday within the Forbidden City, and not far from the tombs of a thousand ancestors. Long live the Emperor!

If Chief Biggy committed suicide, he made a mistake. Lots of men have come to the top after they have been at the bottom, merely by holding on.

Washington is a dull town when Congress is not in session, and sometimes when Congress is in session it isn't what you would call a hilarious place.

As we understand Brother Torrey, it is his conviction that, as far as Los Angeles is concerned, the devil never had much more than a look-in, anyway.

We suppose that this play called "The Great Divide" has reference particularly to what takes place in the box office after the seats have been sold.

Gen. Simon, the leader of the Haytian revolution, being about the color of the ace of spades, he may be said to have made things look dark for old Nord Alexis.

You have only to think that a rainy day, which is good for the country, is not a good day for the races. And there you have the whole thing in a nutshell.

It is, perhaps, just as well that Uncle Joe Cannon does not put into print the exact words in which he would describe the people who have tried in vain to down him.

We suppose that when the death roll of this bloody revolution in Hayti is made up it will be found that there were as many as sixteen or seventeen men killed.

Nothing short of appalling is the list of fatalities that has followed in the wake of the graft exposures in San Francisco. "The trail of the serpent is over it all."

Evidently the devil did not entirely abandon his conviction of the utility of the idea when he failed to tempt St. Anthony with that celebrated bevy of good-looking women.

Without attempting to take sides, one way or another, we still venture to hazard the opinion that Nord Alexis will find a place waiting for him in the Down-and-out Club.

The French judge who says he "loved Mme. Steinheil profoundly but not unlawfully" must be queer in his mind. When love becomes unlawful there is another name for it.

Lieut. Wymans tells us that there is much gold in Dutch Guiana, but it is hard to secure, owing to obstacles. From this we should judge that Dutch Guiana is not unlike this country.

Judging from the number of people who made a regular habit of falling in love with Mme. Steinheil, we cannot escape the conclusion that she was a ripping good-looker, to say the least.

It is almost too good to believe that the population of this part of the country has attained a degree of wisdom such as to make the season at "Lucky" Baldwin's sucker factory unprofitable.

There seems now, at last, to be a thorough agreement on the existence of a future life. But we shall doubtless continue to quarrel as to which particular denomination will have the reserved seats.

The country's debt of gratitude to Speaker Cannon lies in the fact that he has consistently and persistently prevented some 300 members of various Congresses from talking whenever they pleased.

As he sits this morning on the throne of the Dragon, our best wishes are with Pu Yi, the baby Emperor. Here's hoping that the skin of a gooseberry will make an umbrella for all his enemies.

Apparently Mr. Rockefeller does not claim great credit for having amassed the largest private fortune in the world. According to his version, he merely started the thing and it wouldn't stop.

From all the information we have been able to glean on the subject, we get the impression that the man who has never been kicked by an ostrich has every reason in the world to consider himself fortunate.

This week's dispatches state that the thermometer in Butte, Mont., registered 13 degrees below zero. When it is no colder than that in Butte the inhabitants usually go about in straw hats and linen dusters.

THE GREAT QUESTION.

The remarkable religious revival which has stirred Los Angeles during the past few weeks is but illustrative of a more widespread revival which has swept the entire nation. Those who habituate themselves to keep track of the news of the country at large will tell you that everywhere between the two oceans, and from north to south, the people of America have been undergoing a positive awakening in regard to things spiritual.

Not the least of the victories which revealed religion has achieved is the surrender of science to the belief that there is a future life. Persons whose faith told them, in a manner perfectly satisfactory to themselves, that there is a life beyond the grave, still had the fiat of the scientists to the contrary to contend against. Not but that there has not always been eminent scientists who believed in a Supreme Power and the existence of another world than this; but that the majority of these admittedly learned persons pooh-poohed the idea.

Persons of dull imaginations, or perverted minds, have been quick to point out that the learned men who make a science a study vetoed the idea of a future existence and even of a Supreme Power. And all this made the progress of the believer harder than anything else. One man like Darwin or Tyndall has done more to make cynics in religion than a hundred such men as Newman and Phillips Brooks, Calvin and John Wesley have done to create believers.

But in our own day, when Lord Kelvin came out in the most unqualified way to express his full belief, not only in God, but also in a future state, the small fry in the scientific world were quick to change their former convictions. They then admitted that the wonderful world in which we live, this earth, the moon, the stars and the vast universe beneath and above us was the work of a Supreme Power, of a living God, who still guides that universe with unerring hands. From that acknowledgment to a belief in a future life for mortal man was an easy step, and it has now been taken unequivocally.

This being the case, the great question with man must, therefore, be how best to prepare himself to account to his Creator for his soul; how to make straight the pathway that leads beyond the stars. Compared to this question, all others are trivial; they are, indeed, infinitesimal. It is a profound subject for contemplation. It is a question bound to overshadow every other.

OIL MEN SHOULD ORGANIZE.

Southern California oil men should think long and well before rejecting the plan of organization urged by their brethren of the San Joaquin Valley. The arguments urged against it appear to be without much weight.

The fact that there are various kinds of oil, viz., road, fuel and refining products, is no reason whatever for rejecting organization. An agency can sell two kinds of oil just as well as one. The Union Oil Company sells crude for all three purposes, and makes and sells all by-products and asphalt besides. It sells them to everybody and over a good part of the world. So does the Associated. Why cannot the independents do the same on a much smaller scale? If one contract cannot be made to cover all grades, why cannot an agency make two, three or four? It can certainly do it just as easily as an individual. Perhaps a little different machinery for details may be necessary, but that is too simple a problem to stop men who are capable of conducting any kind of business intelligently.

There are those who wish to make the proposed organization an information bureau only. Undoubtedly information is needed; but if these gentlemen had the information which they seek, they would hardly hesitate about getting together quickly. For that matter, the oil columns of The Times have given much of what they ask for. The State organization to be formed next week will serve as an information bureau in connection with its other purposes. The agencies of Bakersfield and Coalinga run information bureaus in addition to their other work, and that is by no means the least of their functions. Moreover, while supplying information is a good thing and necessary, it will not in itself solve the problem. Each operator will still be at sword's points with his neighbor if that is all that is done.

The idea that an agency like that of Bakersfield or Coalinga should be in danger of being called a "trust" and held legally liable is without force. Since their organization the Associated, Standard and Union companies have had their attorneys look into this point, and there is good information to the effect that these lawyers pronounced the organizations impregnable. It certainly looks unreasonable to say that producers cannot lease their property to whom they please and get permission from the lessees to operate, as at Bakersfield, or sell their product to an organization composed of their own members, as well as to the Associated, Union or Standard, without becoming liable to the law. The Associated can buy oil from any individual at any price satisfactory to the two parties, or one can force the other to take or pay and then sell to the consumer. Surely if it can do this it can buy from an agency, an intermediary occupying the same position as a broker.

The proposal to have prices fixed by a committee is unworthy of the least consideration. Fail it must and would. In the first place, it has been tried in other lines and failed. It seems more like a trust plan than do the others. Some would unquestionably cut rates; those who lived up to their agreement would suffer; agreements could not be enforced; and hard feelings, dissensions and charges of bad faith unquestionably would result and the whole scheme end in a fizzle.

Today Southern California is producing more oil than the local market demands. Of that there is no question. If you doubt it, consult the records of the customhouse and learn what the Union and Associated are shipping from San Pedro and Redondo. Common sense tells us that these corporations do not ship their product until local demands are filled. We know, too, that consumers are supplied. Figures also show that production south of the Tehachepi has increased a million and three-quarters over last year.

There is a big outside market, but the small operator alone cannot reach it unaided. As far as he is concerned it might as well not exist. At San Francisco, Sacramento, Portland or Seattle or in Arizona this outside trade is as far from him as if it were in Europe or Australia. Organized, he will have a chance; singly there will be none very soon.

Again, production in this end of the State is increasing. The outlook promises a faster growth of production than of local consumption. The Amalgamated is pushing production every day. It wants this oil for the outside trade. Most of it is likely to go North or abroad and to sell at a good figure, but the small men can only achieve this end by combining. The small man has a hard time when it comes to selling to consumers as far away as San Diego. If necessary, an agency can sell to the consumer as well as to the big companies, make its terms on a good basis, reach out for trade, build pipe lines, if necessary, and charter ships.

While we are on this subject of organization, why should not the existing agencies, the new locals and the proposed State association take up the question of a protective tariff on California asphalt? Extension of the oil market is, without doubt, the best and most desirable way of raising and maintaining prices. In fact, it is the only way to accomplish permanent good. Without it there will be

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no chance of success. The existing agencies could have done very little but for the way the big companies have extended the market all over the Pacific Coast, into the Orient and Spanish America.

A tariff on crude asphalt, excluding the Trinidad product, would mean that every street in the United States hereafter to be paved, would be paved with California asphalt. Think of the tens of thousands of tons needed and the enormous market to be created thereby for our crude petroleum. In itself this would do much toward sustaining prices. Every oil man is interested just as much as are the refiners, and they should see that the question is properly presented at Washington, not leaving it entirely to the Union Oil Company and a few individuals. The refiners are unorganized, unfortunately, but their interests are identical with the producers.

A State organization should be able to do more in the way of extending the market, of getting such helps as the asphalt tariff than the local organizations can do. It would have no business with the field sales or contracts, thereby having more time for other matters, and would, moreover, be in better touch with the whole situation.

A DISCREDITED FAD.

Direct legislation is a fast disappearing fad. The foolish wave has reached its greatest height and the tide is ebbing. California has "gone slow" on this and may now be guided by the experience of "faster" States. Let us not fail to learn our lesson.

The State Legislature will be in session next month, and those people who never learn will be noisily in evidence with a clamorous demand that the members of that body shut their eyes to the handwriting on the wall and commit the State to a policy from which experimenting States would now gladly be delivered.

The Legislature will be told they must pass a direct primary law similar to that which is making so much trouble in Oregon, which has so conspicuously failed in Missouri, and which, in our opinion, will be declared unconstitutional whenever it is brought before the Supreme Court of the United States.

We would ask the careful attention of every Assemblyman and State Senator in California to this matter. Think of these things, you who are charged with making laws for the State, and who will take an oath to be faithful to your trust before you take your seat.

(1.) Pay no attention to any clamor for a direct primary. Follow your own judgment and let your conscience be your guide. Let no noisy "reformer" impress you with the notion that you must pass any law to set up a primary election at which all officials must be nominated. The people of this State have given you no such mandate. They have merely clothed you with authority to pass any primary election law you see fit to enact, or none at all, as your judgment may guide you.

(2.) Consider what the action of the United States Supreme Court will be. Do not commit your State to the foolish programme of passing laws which cannot stand. Study the case in the clearest light you have.

You know they have such a law in the State of Oregon. You probably have heard of Hon. George H. Williams of Portland, once United States Senator from Oregon, Attorney-General in President Grant's Cabinet, a High-Joint Commissioner from the United States at the conference at Geneva, where the Alabama claims against Great Britain were adjusted. If you know this distinguished statesman, his career and reputation, you will pay some attention to his opinion. He has stated his views at great length on the Oregon primary election law, and holds that whenever a case goes before the Federal courts in which the Federal government is interested the decision will be that the Oregon law is unconstitutional. Judge Williams is only one among many mature, able, learned statesmen who have made a study of constitutional law, who look at this subject in this way. We know of no statesmen of high repute as constitutional lawyers who hold differently.

(3.) Look at this matter from the practical point of view, disregarding theories. Take the most important application of this primary election notion, the election of United States Senators. The selecting of members of the Senate by popular vote is indisputably an innovation. It is contrary to our practice for a century. This fact imposes on you the duty of careful consideration. So revolutionary a step should never be taken unless the necessity is obvious, and the result beyond controversy. At the outset you should have earnest regard for the Constitution of the United States. This fundamental law provides that legislative bodies such as yours shall choose United States Senators. Will you abdicate, declare your own incompetency, either by lack of intelligence or of honesty to perform your duties? Remember the Senate is sole judge of the qualifications of its members. That body is under no obligation to any person, from the noisy faddist in Milpitas or Garvanza to the President of the United States, to make any statement as to why a citizen sent to Washington from any State to take a seat in the Senate is denied that right. A vote is cast by the Senate itself declaring the person not qualified, and there the matter ends. If a man's physiognomy fails to impress favorably the Senate, he may be refused a seat if so the Senate decrees. With the opinion so generally held by constitutional lawyers of high reputation that direct primary election of Senators is unconstitutional, such a candidate for the toga, obnoxious to the majority of the Senate, is likely to be denied his seat.

(4.) Take Missouri as an object lesson. The Times has never regarded Gov. Folk as a very great or very strong man. Those who clamor for the direct primary look upon him as an exceptionally great statesman and strong citizen. His enemies would generally set him above Senator Stone. The proponents of the direct primary set this election machinery in motion for the purpose of sending Folk to the Senate and retiring Stone from public life. The new fad has worked out in an exactly opposite way. There never was a more conspicuous example of failure. When the votes were counted it turned out that Folk carried a large majority of the Assembly and Senatorial districts, and if the Legislature were not tied up by the primary election they would elect Folk Senator. But taking the total vote cast, "Gumshoe Bill" Stone has a snug majority. St. Louis and Kansas City, where the corruptible vote is found in large numbers, completely overturned the will of the plain farmer folk in the country and small towns.

In Oregon the case is worse. There a State with a great Republican majority in the popular vote and a great Republican majority in the Legislature is almost compelled to send a Senator to Washington to misrepresent the people, and who will vote against what they think is for their best interests. The Democrat who is booked to be sent to misrepresent Oregon is not great in any way. He has not one trait of character superior to any one of several Republicans who would rightly represent Oregon if the Legislature were not restrained by this foolish law.

(5.) Where lies the necessity of your abject surrender of your rights under the Constitution of the United States? Have Legislatures so often proved lacking in ability or in principle to choose United State Senators? How do the Senators chosen by legislative bodies like your own compare with Governors chosen by direct vote? Look at the history of the State of New York. Its people have elected great men to the gubernatorial office. Among them were John Jay, DeWitt Clinton, Martin Van Buren, William L. Marcy, William H. Seward, Hamilton Fish, Horatio Seymour, Samuel J. Tilden, Grover Cleveland, Theodore Roosevelt, Charles E. Hughes. New York Legislatures have elected indifferent men to the United States Senate at times. But of the great, Governors of New York, a dozen were elected Senators by the Legislatures. Among the Senators were great men who were not Governors, such as Dix, Conkling, Evarts. If the Legislature elected Platt Senator, the people elected Odell Governor. For every improper selection for the Senate made by the Legislatures, you find two made by the people to the office of Governor.

In our own State the same is true. The people have elected poor Governors, and some good ones; the Legislatures have elected Senators of conspicuously high qualifications, and some poor ones. And so it goes.

MORAL MIASMA.

Biggy is the latest, and, in a way, the most conspicuous example of San Francisco's moral miasma. He was one of the mainstays of the bogus reformation which has been so noisily at work for months. When old Jerry Dinan could not be trusted to hold fast to Abe Ruef, Biggy was picked as one surely trustworthy. He was praised in the most fulsome terms by all engaged in the graft prosecution. See his end, and how it came.

An ex-convict is among the talesmen drawn to try Ruef, and takes his seat on the jury. Then comes a blare of trumpets, the roll of drums, and all stand at attention while Heney flashes in the face of this degenerate a picture of himself in prison garb. The wretch's record of a score of years before becomes known to all his associates; his business is destroyed; his acquaintances shun him; his children are jeered on the public streets and at school. Moody, desperate, he shuns the very sunlight, and then, apparently with mind unhinged, he makes an attack on the life of the man who brought all this new disgrace on him. The would-be assassin is apprehended and jailed. In some way he secures a derringer and kills himself in his cell.

Some one was negligent in the performance of duty. The responsibility cannot be fixed. Anywhere else, suspicion would not spread to the whole community. Men of good repute would not find their names on the lips of dozens of persons as the one possibly derelict in duty. But this did not take place elsewhere. It was in San Francisco. There no one trusts another. The prosecutors who had picked Biggy as the trustworthy, faithful man, at once guess at the perfidy of this associate, of that associate. Now at last Biggy's name is whispered about in suspicion. Wounded, grieved, he contemplates resignation, and finally disappears, with many circumstances that suggest suicide.

But wait a few days and listen to what will come next. Probably the man who ran the launch from which the Chief of Police disappeared will be charged with pushing Biggy into the bay. One cannot guess what will be done.

Ministers of religion have been charged with perjury in connection with these graft trials. Names in dozens have been bedaubed—names of persons who are, up to this moment, as far as the public knows, innocent of any connection with the gang of evildoers.

The violence of expression that marks this crusade, the bitter invective with which "suspects" are assailed, the abandon with which suspicion attaches to this person and that, the wildness of assertion, the utter absence of all charity, of all confidence, is frightful to contemplate.

Meantime, nearly a score of the most depraved villains that ever looted a city and disgraced a community walk the streets free, with head in air, and the lash of justice has not fallen on one guilty back.

Populists Disappointed.

A little reflection ought to cause every citizen to be thankful that the Roosevelt era is about to close without the imprisonment of Congress and the lashing of the Supreme Court at the whipping post.—[Houston Post.

Saved It for That $29,000,000 Fine.

It is safe to say that Mr. Rockefeller did not go right out and blow that dollar and a half he got from the subpoena server.—[Atlanta Constitution.

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Perhaps another trip around the world might be beneficial to Mr. Bryan's health and that of the party.—[Atlanta Journal.

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FIGHT OVER CHILDREN.

Mrs. Lena Sefton Wakefield, a wealthy member of one of the oldest and best-known families of San Diego, is under strict orders not to take her two minor children outside the city limits. The order was issued by Judge Lewis of the Superior Court upon petition of Franklin W. Wakefield, Mrs. Wakefield's husband, and father of the children.

Divorce suit is pending and the husband, as plaintiff, in his petition recites that since the separation the wife has refused to allow him to visit or commune with the children. He fears she will spirit them away to relatives in some other State; hence his request that they be not allowed to be removed from the city. Mrs. Wakefield is a daughter of the late J. W. Sefton, pioneer banker and property owner.

WARNER-PERKINS.

B. Montrose Warner, general superintendent of the Spreckels corporations, was married last night to Miss Mary Perkins at the home of Rev. W. E. Crabtree, who performed the ceremony. The couple was accompanied to Rev. Mr. Crabtree's house by E. J. Kallright, chief engineer of the San Diego and Arizona Railroad, and Mrs. V. E. Whitehouse, an intimate friend of the bride.

SUES TO RECOVER.

S. W. Rand and W. W. Perkins, eastern men, are suing the Columbian Realty Company, of which Barbee S. Hook is president, to recover money paid on an option given on a piece of property.

A decision just handed down by the District Court of Appeals reverses an order for change of venue in the case of Lawrence Jensen vs. Fred Dorr, made by the late Judge Conklin of the Superior Court.

Dorr ordered a yacht built by the Jensen Boat Building Company of this city. Trouble arose over payment and Jensen brought suit. Dorr's attorney asked for a change of venue on the ground that the defendant was a resident of Los Angeles and that the hearing should take place there.

The application was heard and granted by Judge Conklin. Jensen appealed.

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INJUNCTION DENIED.

Suit Brought Against Mayor of Santa Barbara Dismissed by Los Angeles Judge.

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SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Judge Conrey of Los Angeles today rendered a decision in the injunction suit brought by Caesar E. Latiallade against Mayor Boeseke and others to enjoin them from certifying to the amendments to the city charter carried at last December's municipal election. The injunction is denied and the decision declares that the holidays, declared by the Governor in the fall of 1907, did not invalidate the municipal election. He held that the Governor had no power to declare holidays that would disenfranchise the people.

A variance of the city charter with the constitution of the State figured prominently. The former requires a three-fifths' majority to carry amendments and the latter provides for a plain majority. Judge Conrey held that the State constitution rules over the city charter.

The seven amendments thus cleared from doubt are: The power of the city to acquire, control and maintain public wharves; the right of the city to condemn wharf property; the selection of Councilmen-at-large instead of from different wards; establishing a board of public works; the initiative, referendum and recall.

Besides settling the dispute over the passage and legality of the amendments, Judge Conrey's decision establishes a precedent as to which controls—the State constitution or the city charter.

Judge Conrey heard this case, as Judge Crow was disqualified from sitting because he holds property here.

Rheumatism goes when you get a hot bath at Arrowhead.

REGRETTABLE.

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RIVERSIDE OFFICER VICTIM OF QUEER ACCIDENT.

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Capt. Johnson held the position of chief of police since the city government was organized under the new charter, two years ago. He served through the Civil War in Co. G, Seventh Iowa Infantry and Co. D, Thirty-ninth Iowa Infantry, and had a distinguished record. For four years he was Sheriff of Riverside county, and established a reputation for fearlessness. He leaves a widow, two sons and two daughters.

DECEMBER WEDS JUNE.

Samuel O. Swackhamer, a San Diego man 61 years of age, claimed as his bride today Miss Ella Bishop Finley, who is nearly thirty years his junior. The marriage took place quietly at the parsonage of the First Methodist Church, Rev. Robert S. Fisher officiating. The bride is also a resident of San Diego.

Marriage licenses were issued today to John A. Schumm, aged 31, a native of Ohio and resident of Covina, and Ella Matilda Benson, aged 32, a native of Minnesota and resident of Northfield, Minn., and to Julius H. Spencer, aged 32, a native of Illinois, and Mabel Sheppard, aged 21, a native of Minnesota, both residents of Hemet.

BISHOP'S WIFE SPEAKS.

An interesting meeting of the various parochial branches of the Woman's Missionary Auxiliary of the Episcopal churches of Riverside and San Bernardino counties was held today in the new parish house of All Saints' Episcopal Church. Among the speakers were Mrs. Johnson of Pasadena, wife of Bishop Johnson; Mrs. J. E. Cowles of Los Angeles, Miss Woods of Alaska, and delegates from Redlands, Ontario and San Bernardino.

Luncheon was served to the visitors at noon at the Woman's Clubhouse, where covers were laid for seventy-five. It was followed by apropos after-dinner talks by Bishop Johnson, Rev. Mr. Gushee of Ontario, Rev. Dr. Milton C. Dotten, rector of All Saints' Church, Mrs. Cowles and others.

Meet me at Arrowhead Hotel.

COLORADO CATTLE STARVING.

Hay Selling at Prohibitive Prices and Snow and Cold Killing Stock.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

DENVER, Dec. 2.—Thousands of cattle on the ranges in Colorado are reported to be starving, with the prospect that there will be an unprecedented loss to the cattlemen during the winter, which opened early, and has caught the majority of stockmen unprepared.

Feed is selling at almost prohibitive prices in the range districts, hay now bringing $25 to $30 a ton in the Arkansas Valley and Park Range districts.

In the Park Range district the first snow, which fell early in October, still covers the ranges, and hundreds of cattle perished in the first storm. This number was increased to thousands in the storm of the past few days, and the stockmen are desperate. These cattle cannot be shipped, because they are in poor condition, and are not beef cattle.

Other persons have reported the same conditions from all over the southeastern and western quarters of the State.

The temperature fell below zero last night generally east of the Continental Divide, and caused great suffering among the badly nourished range herds.

BRIDGE TO CARRY WATER.

New York Unable to Find Way to Get Peekskill Supply Under the Hudson River.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Unable to find solid rock bottom through which to carry a conduit under the Hudson River north of the city near Peekskill, New York, it may be necessary for New York to erect a $10,000,000 suspension bridge in order to perfect the new Catskill water supply system now under construction. Such a bridge would have a span of from 1200 to 1400 feet with a maximum height of 150 feet. Although if built it would be used primarily to carry the giant conduit, arrangements will also be made for traffic facilities. A tentative report on the proposed structure has already been submitted to the board of water supply.

Hay at Wholesale.
Car lots. E. B. Long, Bakersfield, Cal.

Loans Made on Real Estate
At 7 per cent. Jones & Ryder Land Co., 218 West Third street.

UNREQUITED LOVE.

HERMIT'S LIFE ENDS IN ABANDONED MINE.

Hunters Stumble on Corpse of Octogenarian Miner in Desert Shaft. Photograph of Woman Discovered Beside Remains—Romantic Story.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BARSTOW, Dec 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The body of William Bentley, aged, 87 years, was found early this morning fifty feet back in an abandoned mine on the desert about two miles from town. The remains were in a badly decomposed condition and the old man had probably been dead several days before the discovery of his corpse by hunters.

Bentley was a "forty-niner," and a pioneer prospector in this district. About a year ago he drifted away from his former associates and took up his abode in the tunnel of the mine known as the Wong Kee. The mine, as well as the man, had a history of tragedy. In it fortunes were lost in the golden days. It was this mine that was "salted" and Wong Kee, a rich Chinaman, was induced to buy it for a fabulous sum. When Kee found he had been defrauded, he committed suicide.

The worthless hole has for some time, been known as "the Chink mine." Some time back Bentley suddenly quit his friends, sold his holdings hereabouts and stated that all he wished in life was to be let alone. He seldom talked to any one. He was said to have gathered quite a fortune but only 5 cents in cash was found on the body. Men will start tomorrow to dig in the mine in quest of his supposed hidden treasure.

Many stories are connected with Bentley's life, but he never could be induced to talk about them. No papers were found on the body, but it is said Bentley came from the East and that he had influential connections there.

Bentley had stored in the mine about three week's provisions, two guns, bedding and a photograph of a woman. A tale is told that unrequited love was the original cause of Bentley becoming a hermit.

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

NORTH IS FOR ORGANIZATION.

Good Attendance from North at Bakersfield.

Organizer of Kern Agency Will Be There.

Producers to Get Together for Protection.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 1.—The proposed meeting of the independent oil producers of California at Bakersfield, the second Wednesday in December, for the purpose of effecting a State organization, along the lines of the Kern county agency, is receiving warm approval here from the independents. Every serious producer favors organization as the one important thing necessary to make sure of the future.

Commenting on the meeting and its object, W. D. Young, who initiated the move which resulted in the organization of the Independent Oil Producers' Agency, of Kern county, in the fall of 1904, said:

"I'll be there to lend my enthusiasm and suggestions, if needed. Others will be there, too, from here. I have found no objections here among the oil men to the meeting, and its object. Get together now is the watchword all along the line. Ever since August 23, 1904, when I started out on my own account to hustle up the meeting of oil men, which inaugurated the movement that brought about the successful launching of the Independent Oil Producers' Agency, of Kern county, I have been hoping, and talking and doing all I could to encourage an organization which would include all the independent producers of the State.

"Notwithstanding the brilliant success of the Kern county agency, there will be, no doubt, some who will hang back to see if the State organization will prove a success, and a few who will not come in at all, as was the case at the organization of the Kern county producers. Such people are found in all like movements. The first will have to bide their time and the latter, well, they are to be pitied. If you don't think so, go into the Kern River field and watch them delivering large, cheap contracts to the big concerns alongside their neighbors, agency members, who are raking in 50 cents and better for every barrel of their product. The law of payment in kind obtains with them.

"With a thorough and proper organization of the independent producers of all the fields of the State, the present prosperous condition of the oil business is assured, in so far as natural conditions will permit. Otherwise, beware. The big concerns are hustling and mightily maneuvering for places. They will be ready at the first opportunity to apportion the spoils. There is no use to fight. Peace is the thing in business. But there is use in being ready to fight when fighting becomes absolutely necessary and then the fighting should be mostly done by tact and strategy.

"The oil market never looked better. The demand is steadily increasing and widening. There is need for every barrel being produced once more, particularly is it the case with refining oil. But while this is so, it is well to be careful with productions. This can only be through organization.

"If the big concerns oppose the organization of the independents, it will make no difference."

LACK OF STATISTICS.

EASTERN STATES HAVE FEW.

To a Californian in touch with the oil and mining industry of his State, accustomed to the annual publications of the State's statistics by the State Mining Bureau, it can not fail to be a source of wonder to note the utter lack of attention given these subjects by the authorities of so many Eastern States that are vitally concerned in the welfare of the petroleum industry. An effort recently made to obtain data on the probable output of the oil-producing States outside of California from official sources has revealed a surprising state of affairs.

Indiana produces several million barrels a year, but not one of its officials appears to have an iota of information regarding the amount and no statistics are gathered or published, either on this point or as to its uses. The best information obtainable is that some is being used successfully on the roads.

West Virginia is one of the leading producers of the East. All of its officials are not yet heard from, but those who have been, say the State has no record whatever.

Kentucky and Tennessee, the former an important producer of light refining oil for years, have absolutely no records of the industry. In a general way, the Tennessee mine inspector says, the business is about dead in that commonwealth, on account of low prices.

Kansas and Colorado officials have not been fully heard from, but correspondence so far indicates a total lack of information on the subject. Ohio, Pennsylvania, Oklahoma, Texas and Louisiana have not replied at all as yet. Wyoming says the oil industry is practically dead so far as commercial results are concerned.

In some of these States the Standard pipe lines are made public and printed in such journals as the Derrick of Oil City, Pa., and these form the only basis upon which to estimate output.

Drilling Near Beverly.

The Beverly Oil Company, drilling to the northwest of Beverly, was down 1715 feet on Tuesday with eight-inch casing. No oil has yet been obtained, but the drill is in shale and there is a strong gas pressure. The officers of this company are E. P. Bryan, president; W. R. Wheat, secretary. They are very much encouraged.

The Consolidated Petroleum Company, southwest of this hole and west of the Country Club's land, is at a depth of a little over 1800 feet. On Saturday the casing became stuck and this has delayed work since. The drill is still in the hard shell encountered after passing through the last sand found. Progress has been slow for some time.

NURSE TEMPORARILY INSANE.

Miss Jessie P. Fraser, a nurse, living at the Hotel Nugent, No. 257 South Grand avenue, became temporarily insane yesterday and appealed to a patrolman to protect her from men who she thought were about to kill her. Miss Fraser was removed to the Receiving Hospital and detained. Later relatives removed the young woman to a private institution.

SALVATION ARMY CONTEST.

Col. Miles and Brigadier Hunter of San Francisco will be present tonight at a special concert to be given by the Salvation Army in Monarch Rink, Hill street.

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JAP PRESS APPLAUDS PACT.

Only Discordant Note Is Claim by Opposition Papers That Emigration Question Unsettled.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

TOKIO, Dec. 2.—Following the publication of the official text of the notes which were exchanged Tuesday by the Japanese and American governments, the newspapers generally applaud their contents, but considerable criticism is made, especially by the opposition organs.

These opposition papers claim the question of emigration and naturalization should have been settled by the exchange of notes. This view is voiced by the Asahi, which is an independent paper, but the Kokumin, the government organ, states that if this understanding is superfluous then all of the other ententes are likewise superfluous.

The general tone of comment is highly gratifying, but the opposition organs are using the occasion to attack the government on the ground that what is called the conclusion of the note gives Japan no advantage. On the other hand, the most responsible papers most enthusiastically applaud the agreement as a great diplomatic step.

PRETTYMAN WINS.

CHELMSFORD (Eng.) Dec. 2.—The Liberals suffered another disastrous Parliamentary defeat in the bye-election for a member of the House of Commons held here this week. Capt. Prettyman, Conservative, running in one of the Middlesex divisions, was victorious over A. H. Dennie, Liberal. The voting resulted: Prettyman 6552, Dennie 3587.

DAY'S CHOLERA DEATHS TEN.

ST. PETERSBURG, Dec. 2.—There were twenty-four new cases of Asiatic cholera and ten deaths from the disease during the twenty-four hours ending at noon today.

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BUSINESS. Barometer of the Markets—Financial—Commercial.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, Dec. 2, 1908.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $2,437,981.05. For the corresponding day of 1907, $1,154,608.34; for the same day of 1906, $2,437,980.13.

Monday	$2,524,749.42
Tuesday	2,245,527.38
Wednesday	2,437,981.05
Total	$7,208,257.85
Same time, 1907	3,567,506.23
Same time, 1906	4,978,584.12

Following are the live quotations on general and mining securities listed on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, ground floor, I. W. Hellman building, Fourth and Main streets, for yesterday's session of the exchange:

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 77.50	$ 80.00
Associated Oil	38.25	38.62½
Brookshire Oil	[illegible]	1.35
Central	[illegible]	[illegible]
Columbia	.80¼	.11
Continental	1.08¾	1.08¾
Consolidated Oil Co.	.30½	.....
Fullerton Oil	.....	.10
Globe	.65	.70
Mexican Petroleum	.12	.14½
New Pa. Petroleum Co.	1.20	1.25
Olinda Oil Co.	.30	.40
Pacific Oil Co.	.23	.26
Piru Oil Co.	.....	.25
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	5.00	12.00
Union	.70	.85
Union Provident Co.	90.50	92.00
United Petroleum	89.25	92.00
Western Union	91.00	93.00
		100.00

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	$130.00	$130.00
American Savings Bank	175.00	185.00
Bank of So. California	.....	125.00
Broadway Bank & Trust	130.00	.....
California Savings Bank	.....	.....
Central National Bank	.....	135.00
Citizens' National	140.00	.....
Commercial National	225.00	250.00
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	125.00	160.00
First National	280.00	300.00
German-American Savings	420.00	450.00
Home Savings Bk. of L. A.	300.00	314.00
Merchants' National	105.00	112.00
National Bank of Cal.	440.00	.....
National Bank of Com.	150.00	200.00
Security Savings Bank	.....	125.00
The Southern Trust Co.	285.00	225.00
	65.00	75.00

BONDS.

(Prices include accrued interest.)

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co.	85	87½
California Pacific Railway	.....	100
Corona Power & W. Co.	.....	95
Cucamonga Water Co.	95	100
Edison Electric Co., 1s R.	99½	102
Edison Electric Co., old issue	100	105
Home Telephone Co.	85½	88
Home Tel. Co., 1st Refg.	72	74
Los Angeles Harbor Co.	80	.....
L. A. Railway Co.	105	111
L. A. Traction Co. 6s	106	110
L. A. Traction Co. 5s	104	108
Mission Trans. & R. Co.	90	.....
Mt. Lowe Railway	.....	95
Pacific Electric Ry. Co.	.....	108
Pacific Light & Power Co.	91	96½
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	72½	96
Pomona Con. Water Co.	99½	.....
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	.....	.....
Riverside L. & P. Co.	.....	67½
Santa Monica H. T. & T. Co.	88	.....
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	.....	90
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry.	64	.....
Stimsonal Water Co.	.....	98½
United Elec. G. & P. Co.	98½	100
Union Transportation Co.	95	.....
Visalia Water Co.	95	.....
Whittier H. T. & T. Co.	.....	100

INDUSTRIAL AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	$ 50.00	.....
California Hospital	50.00	.....
Edison Electric pfd.	82.00	$ 82.50
Edison Electric com.	62.50	65.00
Home Telephone pfd.	52.00	53.00
Home Telephone com.	10.00	15.00
L. A. Athletic Club	.....	20.00
L. A. Brewing Co.	.....	125.00
L. A. Harbor Co. com.	40.00	.....
L. A. Investment Co.	2.35	2.85
Occidental Life Ins. Co.	.....	130.00
Pac. Mutual Life Ins. Co.	202.00	.....
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	.....	27.50
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	.....	40.50
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	.....	25.00
Santa Monica B. H. T. pfd.	.....	25.00
Seaside Water Co.	50.00*	.....
Title G. & Trust Co. pfd.	160.00	200.00
Title I. & Trust Co. pfd.	126.00	.....
Title I. & Trust Co. com.	126.00	.....
Title I. & Trust, Ser. C.	126.00	.....
U. S. L. D. T. & T. pfd.	41.00	.....
Union Trust Co.	.....	45.00
Whittier H. T. & T. Co.	.....	91.00

SALES: 50 Home preferred at 50.50@52.00; 10 Union Provident at 80.00; 10 Associated Oil at 38.37½; 3000 Columbia Oil at 1.08½@1.08¾; 10 000 Home Telephone Co. first refunding bonds at 72@73½.

MINING STOCKS.

CALIFORNIA.

	Bid.	Asked.
Greenwater District—		
Clark Copper Co.	.10	.12
Furnace Creek Copper	.11½	.17
Furnace Creek Ex. Copper	.01½	.....
Miscellaneous—		
California Hills M. Co.	.12¾	.13½
Consolidated Mines Co.	.02¾	.03¾

NEVADA.

	Bid.	Asked.
Johnnie District (Nye county)—		
Johnnie Con. G. M. Co.	.....	.08½
Searchlight District—		
Eldorado Can. M. & M. Co.	.00½	.01
Nevada Searchlight	.00¾	.01½
Quartette	.....	.....
Searchlight Parallel	.04½	.05

SALES: 4000 Searchlight Parallel at 4½.

THE MARKETS.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

The principal topic on the market yesterday morning, among the apple handlers particularly, was the sale of an option on a car of Bellefleurs, to be disposed of at $1.05 per box any time during January. Up to the present, some thousands of boxes of apples in storage have not been touched. Dealers have been forced to move the stock which daily arrived and even this left a large storage surplus. One firm alone is holding 90 cars of apples in the coolers, awaiting the time when the northern shipments cease. A doubt is beginning to fill their minds as to their ability of getting rid of all the fruit they have put away. The selling of the option was only done as a feeler on the general market and that it was taken, rather surprised the seller. Bellefleur apples with season storage paid, can hardly be sold at less than $1 per box without sustaining a loss. Receipts of apples yesterday were lower than usual, only 650 boxes and this forms basis for the supposition that it will not be long before the market here is finished with arrivals from the north.

Butter was one of the commodities which was rather quiet. There were no changes in values, and little selling, even on the street. Receipts, 16,700 pounds.

Eggs were in good demand and 100 cases of cold storage were sold at current quotations. Only 5 cases of locals were traded, and the price remained unaltered. Receipts, 72 cases.

Cheese was offered in large quantities and of nearly every brand on the list, but there were no purchasers on hand to move the surplus along with receipts of 3320 pounds.

The first car of Oregon early rose potatoes of the season was sold on the street yesterday morning. It will be shipped immediately from the Puget Sound, coming by boat to San Pedro, and not by rail as is usual. The water consignment makes the spuds considerably cheaper on arrival here owing to the difference in the freight rate. Farmers have already started to call for seed potatoes and the early rose will be used chiefly for planting when the season opens within a few weeks. Arrivals yesterday were 1208 sacks of tubers.

Onion receipts were 754 sacks. There was little activity in them. Some shipments of Australian browns are leaving here right along for Nevada and Arizona.

Bean arrivals were 407 sacks. There were a number of good offerings of pinks, small whites and Lady Washingtons, but they were not taken. The prices were held high, indicating a better general market on the product.

A slight slump affected the sweet potato market owing to the large arrivals. These totaled 533 sacks. With the wet weather, their keeping qualities are greatly impaired.

Cranberries jumped another dollar and the price now exceeds any that existed last year. Strawberries went up a few cents and there were scarcely any raspberries or blacks on the market.

Prices Current.

EGGS — Fresh California ranch, candled, selected, 44@48; fresh ranch, local, case count, [illegible]; eastern, fresh, 40@42; eastern, storage, 31@[illegible].

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 77½ per 2-lb. roll; creamery, firsts, 65; dairy butter, 50; cooking, 24 per lb.; eastern, extras, 62½ per lb. square.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 17; Cal. Y. A., 19; Northern, fresh, 17@17½; eastern, daisies, 17½@[illegible]; Longhorns, 16½@17; N. Y. twins, 17; single, 16; hand, 17; Dom. Swiss, 17@18; Imp. Limburger, 18; cheddars, 17; brick cream, Dom. block, 18; Roquefort, 42; Edam, 20@[illegible] per case, 8.75@9.00; Tulare, 14@15; Sierra, [illegible] per box; German Breakfast, 1.10 per box; Neufchatel, 1.20 per box; Camembert, 1.30 per box; Schlosskase, 1.60 per box; Canada cream, 1.00 per box.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 3.25@3.50; Lady Washington, No. 1, 4.50@4.60; small white, No. 1, [illegible]; Limas, No. 1, 4.75@5.50; American [illegible], 9.00; black eye, 3.50; Garvanzas, 3.00@[illegible]; Bayou beans, 3.50@4.00.

DRIED FRUITS — Apples, evaporated, 7½; blackberries, 50 1-lb. cartons, 12@13. Citron, fancy, 10-lb. boxes, 13½@18. Currants imp., fancy, bulk, recleaned, 10; fancy, 50 1-lb. pkgs.; fancy, 50 ¾-lb. packages, 8¼. Dates, imported, Fards, fancy, 6½, 6¾@7; Fards, fancy, 12s, [illegible]. Figs, new, per box, 50 ½-lb. bricks, 1.65@2.00; White, 10 1-lb. bricks, 1.10; White, loose, 50-lb. boxes, fancy, 3½; Black, loose, [illegible], 1.25 per box. Nectarines, per lb., 7½@8; choice, 5@6, 6¼@7½; choice, sacks, [illegible]; fancy peeled, 22, 20. Pears, fancy, 22, 9@10. Peels, lemon or orange, 10s, 12. Plums, prunes, fancy San Jose, 40-50, 7; 50-60, 6½; 60-70, 6; 80, 25s, 4½. (When packed in 50-lb. boxes, ¼c less; in 5-lb. boxes, 2c extra; in 10-lb. boxes, 1½c extra.) Apricots, fancy, 9@10; choice, 8@[illegible]. Pears, 9. Plums, 8@9.

RAISINS—Per box, layers, 2-crown, 1.35; 3-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 1.45; clusters, 4-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 1.60@2.50; clusters, 4-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 1.75; clusters, 5-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 1.85; clusters, 6-crown, 5-lb. boxes, 45@75; clusters, 6-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.75@3.25; loose Muscatels, per lb., 3-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 5@6; 3-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 5¼@6¼; 4-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 6@7; Seedless Sultanas, 50-lb. boxes, unbleached, 5; bleached, 7@8; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 50s, 10; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 50 1-lb., 11@12; seeded, fancy, 36 1-lb., 8@9; fancy, 16 1-lb., 8@9.

NUTS—New, almonds, fancy IXL, 14; almonds, fancy, paper-shell, 15; almonds, choice, softshell, 13; assorted nuts, 25-lb. boxes, 11@14; Brazils, large, new crop, 15@16; filberts, large, new crop, 14@15; pecans, 15@18; peanuts, eastern, "Sun," raw, 8; peanuts, eastern, "Sun," roasted, 9; peanuts, Japs, fancy, raw, 7@7½; peanuts, Japs, fancy, roasted, 8@9; pinenuts, 17; walnuts, No. 1, softshell, 14; walnuts, No. 2, softshell, 11; walnuts, black, 7@10; cocoanuts, 90 per doz.; popcorn, [illegible]; chestnuts, 13@15.

HONEY—Comb honey, water white, 1-lb. frames, 14@15; light amber, 12½@14; white, 13@[illegible]; extracted, light amber, 6@6½; water white, 7@7½; beeswax, 30 per lb.

CITRUS FRUITS — Navels, Yuma, 4.00; fancy pack, northern Navels, 2.50@2.75; local pack, 2.00@2.25; seconds, 1.50@2.00; lemons, fancy packed, 2.50; choice lemons, 1.75@2.25; uncured stock, 1.00@1.50; grapefruit, seedless, 4.00; seedling grapefruit, 2.50@3.00; Limes, small, 1.00 per 100; Tangerines, 2.00@2.25 per box.

FRESH FRUITS—Apples, Ben Caps, 85@1.00; Northern Spies, 75@1.00; Bellefleurs, 4½-tier, 90@[illegible]; 4-tier, 75@85; Red Pearmains, 90@1.00; Kings, 90@1.00; Spitzbergens, 2.25@2.50; California Jonathans, 2.50; Baldwins, 1.00@1.25; Hoovers, 1.15@1.25; Ganos, 1.50@1.60; Arkansas Blacks, 1.35@1.50; Newtown pippins, 1.25@1.50; Smith Ciders, 85@1.00; Ben Davis, 1.00@1.50; Calabas, 1.75@2.00 per crate; Santa Claus melons, 1.25@2.00 per crate; Yellow Clings, 90@1.00; White Heath, 85@1.00; pineapples, 7@[illegible] lb.; bananas, 3¼@4¼ per lb.; black figs, 1.00@1.10; plums, 1.00@1.25; grapes, Muscats, 1.00@1.10; Malagas, 1.00@1.25; Black Moroccos, 1.00; Black Hamburgs, 1.00; Red Emperors, 1.00; Cornichons, 1.00@1.25; Missions, 75; pears, Bartletts, 2.00 per pear box; Winter Nellis pears, 1.00 per box; pomegranates, 1.00@1.25 per box; persimmons, 5@7 per lb.

BERRIES — Strawberries, 7@10; raspberries, 12; blackberries, 12@13; huckleberries, 5@6; grapes, 5; cranberries, 14.00@15.00 per bbl.

ONIONS AND CHILI—Evaporated chili, 11; sun-dried chili, 11; ground chili, 7½; Mexican black, 90. Onions, Yellow Danvers, 1.00@1.25 per cwt.; Australian Browns, 1.00@1.25; Crystal Wax, 1.00@1.25; Lompoc Browns, 1.25; Yellow Globes, 1.00@1.15; garlic, 6@8 per lb.

POTATOES—Yellow sweet potatoes, 1.25@1.35; white sweets, 1.00; red sweets, 1.00; potatoes, Burbanks, 1.50; Highlands, 1.00@1.25; Salinas, 1.50@1.75; Oregons, 1.50@1.65; Lompocs, 1.65@[illegible]; Idahos, 1.50.

GREEN VEGETABLES — Beets, 25; carrots, 25; parsley, 20@25 per doz.; spearmint, 25 per doz.; turnips, 25@30; oyster plant, 25; peas, 6@7; radishes, 15@20 per doz.; watercress, 30@40 per doz.; spinach, 20@25; cabbage, green, 1.25@1.50 per sack; red, 2@3 per lb.; green onions, 15@20 per doz.; leeks, 40@50 per doz.; lettuce, common, 75@85 per crate; parsnips, 75 per doz.; tomatoes, 1@1.25 per box; yellow tomatoes, 20@25 per box; pie pumpkins, 2@3; cultivated mushrooms, 2.00@2.25 per basket; artichokes, 1.10 per doz.; wax beans, 5; green string beans, 5 per lb.; green Lima beans, 4 per lb.; red chili peppers, 7@9 per lb.; green chili peppers, 30@40 per box; bell peppers, 35 per box; celery, 2.25@3.25 per crate; celery root, 75 per doz.; rhubarb, 75@1.00 per box; crooked neck squash, 35@50 per box; Hubbard squash, 1 per lb.; cream squash, 40@50; cauliflower, 40@65 per doz.; horseradish, 15@16 per lb.; dill, 20@25 per lb.; chives, 1.00@1.25 per doz.; eggplant, 5@7 per lb.; okra, 7@9 per lb.; cucumbers, 1.00@1.10 per box; pickles, 1.50@2.00; Brussels sprouts, 10 per lb.

POULTRY—Dealers buy from the producer, live weight. Old roosters, 7; stags, 7; hens, 14 per lb.; ducks, 12@13; geese, 13; turkeys, 16@20; squab pigeons, 1.25@1.75 per doz.; fryers, 16@17; broilers, 20; roosters, 3 lbs. up, 13. Wholesaler sells to retailer, live weight: Hens, 15; young roosters, 16; fryers, 20; broilers, 23; old roosters, 8; turkeys, 20@21; geese, 14@15; ducks, 14@15. Dressed weight averages from 2 to 3 cents higher than live weight.

LIVE STOCK—(Furnished by Hauser Packing Co.) Beef, fed steers, 4@4½; heifers, 3½@[illegible]; cows, 2¾@3; calves, 4¼@4½; mutton, wethers, 3.00@3.25 per head; ewes, 2.75@3.00; lambs, 3.00; lambs, milk-fed, 3.25; hogs, 150 to 200 lbs., weighed and delivered, 5¾; hogs, 200 to 300 lbs., 6.

BEEF—Steers, No. 1, per lb., 6¾; second, 6¼; third, 6¼@5½; heifers, 6; hind quarters, 8½; fore quarters, 5; loins of beef, No. 1, 13; ribs of beef, No. 1, 9; chucks, 4½@4¾; plates, 4; round and rumps, 7½; beef tenderloins, 25; square beef clods, 10; shoulder clods, 10; beef shanks, 3; flank rumps, 7½; flank steaks, 10; beef rolls, 10; boned beef trimming, 7; beef tongues, 10; ox tails, 5; lambs' tongues, per doz., 30; beef hearts, each, 10; beef livers, each, 20; kidney suet, per lb., 6; kidneys, each, 5; sweetbreads, 25; brains, 10; sides, 5½; heads, 2.50.

MUTTON—Dressed mutton, ewes, per lb., 8½; dressed mutton, wethers, 9; dressed mutton, yearlings, 9½; milk lambs, 10; sheep, 3.00@4.00.

VEAL—Calves, 100 to 200 lbs., 8½@10½; hides, 75-100, 8½; hind quarters, 11; fore quarters, 8; heads (frozen,) 50 each; feet (frozen,) 5 each; livers, 35 each.

PORK — Dressed hogs, per lb., head on, 9; dressed hogs, head off, 10; trimmed hogs, 11; pork loins, 13; fresh picnics, 8½; pork shoulders, 9½; pork butts, 11½; fresh hams, 12; bellies, fresh, 12; pork trimmings, 10; frozen pork spare ribs, 6; fresh pork spare ribs, 7½; pork tenderloins, 20; back fat, 10½; cleaned pigs' feet, each, 3½; tongues (pickled, sweet or fresh,) 10; cleaned hogs' heads, per lb. 3½; plain cooked tripe, per lb., 4½; hog plucks, each, 7; pork kidneys, per doz., 15; pig tails, 6; neck bones, per lb., 4½; livers, each, 2; hearts, each, 2.

BACON—Winchester, 10-lb. bacon, 17¼; Winchester, 4-8-lb. bacon, 18¾; 12 Ave., 17½; Empire, 18¼; dryer, 16@17; Premium, 22; Atlas bacon, 18½@17½; Gold Band, 19½; Diamond C, 20; Helmet bacon, 15½; Orange Blossom bacon, 14; Sunlight bacon, 6-8 avg., 15¼; Rex Breakfast bacon, 8-10 avg., 17¾; Rex Breakfast bacon, 10-12 avg., 16¾; Rex bacon, 6-8 avg., 17¾; Regal bacon, 16¾; Helmet bacon, 6-10 avg., 17¼; Helmet, 6-8 avg., 18¼; White Label bacon, 8 to 10 lbs., 18¼; Armour's Star Wide bacon, 4 to 6 lbs., 23¼; Armour's Wide bacon, 4-6 avg., 20¼; wide bacon, 8-10 avg., 19¾; Special bacon, 17; Western bacon, 10-12 lbs. avg., 18¾.

DRY SALTED MEATS.— Dry salt narrow bellies, 11¾; dry salt clear bellies, 16-20 avg., 12¼; dry salt backs, 13¾; short clear backs, 12¼; dried beef, insides, 25; dried beef, outsides, 17; beef knuckles, 21; medium bacon, 14@[illegible]; bacon stripe, 12¼; bacon backs, 14¼.

PICKLED GOODS—Honey-comb tripe, half-bbls., 3.60; honey-comb tripe, keg, 1.85; honey-comb tripe, kits, 85; spiced pigs' feet, half-bbls., 4.60; spiced pigs' feet, keg, 2.60; spiced pigs' feet, kits, 1.25; pickled lambs' tongues, kits, 2.60; pigs' tongues, spiced, kits, 2.60.

HAMS — Per lb. Rex, 15½; Rex skinned hams, 16¼; Diamond C, 16¼; Diamond C skinned hams, 17¼; boiled boneless Rex hams, 15¼; Regal, 15; mild-cured hams, 15¼; plain hams, 13¼; Winchester, small, 10 to 12 avg., 18; Winchester hams, avg., 15¾; Premium, 10 to 12 avg., 17¼; Winchester picnics, 10¼; Winchester boiled hams, 22¼; Winchester skinned hams, 16¼; Gold Band, 16; California hams, 11; Premium skinned hams, 17¾; Atlas hams, 14½; minced ham, 13; Cylinder boiled hams, 22; Premium boiled hams, 22; Oxford boiled hams, 15½; Star boiled hams, 24¼; Star hams, 10-12 avg., 15¾; Armour's Star hams, 14-16 avg., 16; Star hams, 12-14 avg., 18¼; Helmet hams, 16½; Star skinned hams, 13¾; Armour's Shield hams, 14-16 avg., 17; Shield picnics, 10; Shield hams, 16-18 avg., 17; Shield boiled hams, 24; Ashland hams, 8 avg., 14½; Jefferson hams, 25; Western hams, 16½.

BARRELED MEATS—Rumps (bone in,) bbls., 10.00; half-bbls., 5.50; rumps (bone cut,) bbls., 12.50; half-bbls., 6.75; plate beef, bbls., 9.00; half-bbls., 5.00; rolled plate (boneless,) bbls., 12.00; half-bbls., 6.50; Sunderland pork, bbls., 14.25; half-bbls., 7.25; family pork, bbls., 26.00; half-bbls., 13.50; fancy pig pork (narrow,) bbls., 25.00; half-bbls., 13.00; fancy pig pork (wide,) bbls., 29.00; half-bbls., 15.00; S. P. spare ribs, 10.00 bbl.; half-bbls., 5.25.

PURE LARD—Tierces, per bbl., 13½; cases, 17½; 10-lb. cans, 13; leaf lard, 13; Rex pure lard, 12¾; Premium lard, 14¼; Silver Leaf lard, 13; Jewel Compound, 8½; Crescent lard, 12; back fat, 9½; Yellow Cotosuet, 9; White Cotosuet, 9¾; Mission, lard, 10¾; Star lard, 14; Armour's Compound lard, western, 7¾; Compound lard, eastern, 8; Diamond C kettle lard, 14¾; White Ribbon, 8¾; basis Suetene, 8@9¾; vegetole lard, 10½; K. C. lard, 12¾; Armour's Shield lard, 12; Armour's Simon Pure lard, 15; Armour's Vegetole, 10; Fairbanks White Cottolene, 1 case, 7.25; 5 cases, 7.15; 10 cases, 7.10; 25 cases, 7.00; Bakers' Cottolene, 1 tierce, 9¾; 2 tierces, 9¾; 5 tierces, 9½; Fairbanks Snow White lard, tierce basis, 9½.

SAUSAGE — Bologna, per lb., 7½; bologna, paraffined, per lb., 8; blood sausage, 8½; liver sausage, 7½; Diamond "C" sausage, links and bulk, 12½; head cheese, 8½; fresh pork sausage, links, 10; fresh pork sausage, bulk, 10; Spanish pork sausage, 11; Wiener sausage, 8½; Frankfurt sausage, 8½; New England ham sausage, 11½; minced sausage, in sacks, 12; Douglas style sausage, in sacks, 12; German Salami, 27; Milan Salami, 26; Mortadella, 25; Gothear, 25; Star Summer, 24; Arles, 25; Cervelat, 24.

SALT—Western, handled through L. A. jobbers. Princess salt, cartons, 30 1s, per case, 1.40; 150-lb. bales, Crown brand, all-sized pockets, per bale, 2.00; Worthington Dairy, 50s, per ton, 16.00; 100, per ton, 15.00; 224s, per ton, 14.00; Crown or Gran. Dairy, 50s, 15.00; 100s, 14.00; Rock and half-ground, 50s, 14.00; 100s, 13.00; granulated and ¾-ground, 50s, 11.00; granulated and ¾-ground, large, per ton, 10.50; ice-cream and evaporated, sheep, 50s, per ton, 10.00; 100s, per ton, 10.00; hide and ice-cream, No. 2, per ton, 9.00; lump, stock, imported, per ton, 22.00. Special prices in car lots.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbls., add 10c; ½-bbls., 25c, and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices are net cash, less 25c cwt., 15 days. Beet gran., 5.95; Standard cane, 6.15; Standard berry, 6.15; Cube A, crushed or fine crushed, 6.40; Candy gran., 6.25; Powdered, 6.25; C. & H. Confectioners' A, 6.15; Western Con. A, 6.15; Magnolia A, 5.75; Extra C or B, 5.65; Golden C, 5.65; D, 5.45; Bowles 6x powdered 30-lb. boxes, 6.30; Bowles 6x powdered ½-bbls., 7.45; Bowles 6x powdered, bbls., 7.00; Bowles Bros. bar, bbls., 7.50; Bowles Bros. Bar, ½-bbls., 8.05; Bowles Bros. Bar, 30-lb. tins, 9.65; Bowles Bros. Bar, 30-lb. boxes, wood, 8.50; Palace Bar, 35-lb. tins, 9.90; Dominos, 11.10.

FAMILY FLOUR—Local patents, A1 flour, per bbl., 5.75; Globe flour, 6.15; Select California white wheat; Silver Star flour, 5.40; XXX flour, 4.65; Capitol flour, 5.65; A1 bakers' flour, 5.35; Aurora, 5.25; Mikado, 4.85; Trophy, 4.65; Crown flour, 4.40.

CALIFORNIA AND EASTERN FLOURS—Kansas, 6.15; Mayflower, 4.65; Eclipse, 4.65.

FLOUR—	In boxes.	5-lb. S'ks.	10-lb. S'ks.	25-lb. S'ks.	50-lb. S'ks.
Perf. Pat. Pastry	....	....	3.10	....	....
Buckwheat flour	....	$3.70	3.50	$3.45	$3.40
Graham flour	....	....	3.00	2.95	2.90
Rye flour or meal	....	....	3.60	3.55	3.50
Cornmeal, W. & Y.	....	....	3.00	2.95	2.90
Oatmeal, ground	....	4.55	4.35	4.30	4.25
Oatmeal, Steel Cut	....	5.70	5.50	5.45	5.40
Cracked wheat	....	3.80	3.60	3.55	3.50
Entire wheat flour	....	....	3.10	3.05	3.00
Pearl barley	....	....	5.50	5.45	5.40
Split peas, green	....	5.85	5.65	5.60	5.55
Split peas, yellow	....	5.70	5.50	5.45	5.40
Gluten flour	....	4.15	3.95	3.90	3.85
Hominy, large or small	....	....	....	....	....
Farina	....	4.20	4.00	3.95	3.90
Nutrina Gem	$3.50	3.80	3.60	3.55	3.50
Rolled wheat	....	4.00	3.80	3.75	3.70

Rolled wheat in barrels, net weight 125 lbs. per sack 4.20

BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—Pure, 100-lb. sacks, 4.45; new process, 4.25; mixed, 4.00.

GRAIN AND FEED — Wheat, per 100 lbs., 1.90; wheat, No. 1, 1.95; wheat, cracked, 2.00; corn, 1.80; corn, Sm. Y., 1.70; cracked corn, 1.85; feed meal, 2.00; bran, heavy, 1.65; rolled barley, 1.60; linseed oilcake meal, 1.85; cotton-seed meal, 1.75; cocoanut cake, 1.35; shorts, 1.80; oats, white Oregon, 1.90; oats, red, seed, 1.80; California, 2.25; eastern Kaffir corn, 1.55@1.75; K. & P. corn, 1.85; cocoanut meal, 1.35.

		10.	25.	50.	100.
Excelsior	Chick Food	$3.35	$3.30	$3.25	$3.00
"	Fattening Food	3.35	3.30	3.25	3.00
"	Egg Food	.75	....	....	1.85
"	Moulting Food	....	....	....	1.85
"	Chick Food, 20 5-lb. pkgs., per case	....	....	....	3.75

POPCORN—Rice, shelled, fancy, western, per lb., 5; new ear corn, 4.00@4.50 per 100 lbs.

HAY—No. 1 barley hay, 19.00@21.00; No. 2, 16.00@17.00; No. 1 wheat hay, 20.00@21.00; No. 2, 16.00@17.00; No. 1 plain oat hay, 22.00@23.00; No. 2, 16.00@18.00; northern alfalfa, 16.00@17.00; local, 17.00@18.00.

LINSEED OIL—Boiled, in barrels, 62; raw, in barrels, 60; in cases, 6c higher.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 63; in barrels, 56.

Local Petroleum Prices.

Quotations on petroleum products, f. o. b. tank cars, Los Angeles:

GASOLINE AND DISTILLATE—Red Crown gasoline, bulk, 15c per gal.; do., cases, 22c per gal.; No. 2 engine distillate, bulk, 7¾c per gal.; No. 1 distillate, 8¼c per gal.; V. M. & P. naphtha, barrels, 13c; cases, 20c.

FUEL OIL—75@90 per bbl.

ILLUMINATING OILS — Water white, per gal., in barrels, 10; in tank wagons, 10; Pearl, in cases, 17½ per gal.; Astral, cases, 17½; Eocene, cases, 20½ per gal.; Elaine, cases, 26½; Star, 17½ per gal.

ORANGES AND LEMONS.

DAILY CITRUS REPORT OF EASTERN MARKET.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One car navels and three cars lemons sold. The market is very dull and lower. Weather clear, cold, favorable.

NAVELS.

	Average.
Cobbler, or, Shoemaker, Jr.	$2.25

LEMONS.

Artillery, xc, Cal. Citrus Union	$2.45
Pet, S. A. Ft. Ex.	2.50
Greyhound, S. A. Ft. Ex.	2.75
Flower, Cy, Growers' Ft. Co.	2.60
Flower, 4b, Growers' Ft. Co.	2.35
Flower, sd, Growers' Ft. Co.	2.00

Pittsburgh Market.

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One car sold, five cars on track. The prices are low on navels on account of the quality of the fruit offered. The market is steady on lemons. Nine cars of Florida oranges of good quality and color sold $1.75 average. The market continues depressed on Floridas. Weather cold.

NAVELS.

Searchlight, S. S. Ft. Ex., Orange	$2.50
Sunset, S. S. Ft. Ex., Orange	1.75

LEMONS.

Planet, S. S. Ft. Ex., Orange	$2.65
Searchlight, S. S. Ft. Ex., Orange	2.50

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] One car lemons sold. Weather cold. The market is steady. Three cars on track. Seventeen cars of Florida oranges sold, prices ranged from $1.25 to $2.10 per box.

LEMONS.

Corona Beauty, Q. C. Ft. Ex., Corona	$2.77
Grove, Q. C. Ft. Ex., Corona	2.50

Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Weather cold. It is snowing. Prospects are that the market will be higher on navels. Two cars sold, seven cars on track.

NAVELS.

Red Label, T. C. C. Ft. Ex., Lindsay	$2.60
Niagara, Re-sold car	2.30
Rescue, Re-sold car	2.15

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Weather colder. The market is weak on account of the weather. Three cars were withdrawn. Ten cars on track. Four cars of Florida oranges—some wasty—were sold. Floridas averaged $1.85. A part car of Florida navels averaged $2.50.

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

Tuesday, Dec. 1.—Twenty-eight cars; 13 cars oranges, 15 cars lemons. Total to date this season, 479 cars; 117 cars oranges, 362 cars lemons. Total to same date last season, 906 cars; 526 cars oranges, 380 cars lemons.

Metal Market.

SILVER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Bar silver, 47⅝.

LEAD.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Lead dull at 4.25 to 4.30.

COPPER.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Copper firm. Lake, 14.37½ to 14.50; electrolytic, 14.12½ to 14.25; casting, 14.00 to 14.12½.

less now than it was forty-eight hours before the decision was announced.

New high levels were scored for the Union Oil issues on yesterday's closing. Trading was light in all these stocks, but the demand was extremely strong. Union closed at 29.50 @32.00, up 1½ and 2 points respectively, compared with Tuesday's close. None sold. Union Provident was quoted at 89.25@90.25, up ½ and 1¼, on sales of ten shares at 90.00. United Petroleum closed at 91.00@93.00, up 1½ and 2 points respectively. None was handled on call. These prices look well, especially when compared with that at which the stock was selling a year ago. At that time the price was at 167.50 a share, old issue. Since then three shares have taken the place of each old share, and these are now quoted at 90.00 and higher, or 270.00 for the old stock.

Associated Oil closed unchanged yesterday on the sale of only ten shares at 38.37½, the closing sale price of the day before. There was heavy selling in Associated throughout the State on Tuesday, and the general opinion is that this is the start of a big unloading movement on the part of insiders.

Columbia Oil was active in the trading yesterday, selling to the extent of 3000 shares, at 1.08½@1.08¾. It closed at 1.08½@1.08¾, off 8½ points in the asking price, and unchanged in the bid. Other oil stocks showed little change.

Ten $1000 first refunding bonds of the Home Telephone Company changed hands at 72@72¼, and the close for these securities was firm at 71@73½. The First Mortgage bonds were quoted at 85@90. Other issues in the bond list were quiet.

The bank stocks remain at about the same levels as on Tuesday, with a good demand for all of them.

Trading on the mining call amounted to 4000 shares of Searchlight Parallel at 4½.

LIGHT TRADE IN LEADERS.

Los Angeles-Nevada Exchange Does Business in Small Lots of Best Issues.

Closing prices eased off perceptibly on the Los Angeles-Nevada Exchange yesterday, quotations on the leading issues showing declines of several points. Trading was light in volume, although the grade of stocks handled during the day was good, and was indicative of a certain investment demand for the best issues.

Combination Fraction was handled at 1.37 on the early call, and at similar prices on the informal, but closed at 1.36@1.39, off one point in the bid, and up one in the asking.

Florence was a trader at 4.57½ on the morning call, and closed at 4.50@4.60 on the informal, showing losses of 5 points in each quotation.

Goldfield Consolidated was inactive so far as trading was concerned, and closed with a decline of 7½ points in the bid at 7.50@7.70. Daisy was quoted at 84@86, after sales of 100 shares at the latter price. This was a loss of 3 and 4 points, respectively.

Rawhide Coalition was in demand at 1.15 bid at the close on the informal, after sales of 5000 shares at 1.07 on the morning call. Jumbo Extension sold at 25, and California Hills changed hands at 13, regular, and at 12½, buyer-thirty-days. There was other light trading in several cheap issues.

F. Irwin Herron, secretary of the Los Angeles-Nevada Exchange, and H. W. Miles, caller, have resigned, their resignations to go into effect January 1. This action is said to be the result of orders to cut down expenses on the part of the governing board. Both men were asked to scale down their salaries and rather than do this, both resigned. F. M. Jolliff, formerly clearinghouse clerk of the Exchange, will take the place of Mr. Herron as secretary, and the members of the Exchange will "curb" the stocks, not having any regular call.

LOS ANGELES-NEVADA EXCHANGE QUOTATIONS.

The closing quotations on the Nevada mining stocks, made yesterday on the Los Angeles-Nevada Mining Stock Exchange, ground floor of the H. W. Hellman building, Fourth and Spring streets, together with the regular call sales and the sales of the afternoon informal session, were as follows:

NEVADA—GOLDFIELD DISTRICT.

Mines—	Bid.	Asked.
Combination Fraction	$ 1.36	$ 1.39
Daisy	.84	.86
Diamondfield	.10	.12
Florence	4.50	4.60
Florence L. & M.	*6.50	.01
Frances-Mohawk	.10	.....
Goldfield Con. Mines	7.50	7.70
Great Bend	.28	.31
Jumbo Extension	.24½	.26½
Little Florence	.10	.....
Preferred Prospects—		
Baby Florence	.01¾	.....
Blue Bull	.11½	.....
Diamondfield Triangle	.03½	.04½
Grandma	.02	.....
Mohawk Extension	.02	.03
Oro	.11	.....
Red Top Extension	.05	.....
Prospects—		
Black Butte Extension	.01½	.....
Blue Bell	.04½	.04¾
*Eureka	9.00	9.50
Great Bend Annex	.06¼	.06½
Red Hills M. & L.	.00½	.....

TONOPAH DISTRICT.

Mines—	Bid.	Asked.
Montana	.....	.90

BULLFROG DISTRICT.

Preferred Prospects—	Bid.	Asked.
Montgomery Mt.	.10½	.....
Prospects—		
Lige Harris	*4.00	.00½

JOHNNIE DISTRICT.

	Bid.	Asked.
Johnnie M. & M.	.18	.....
Crown Point Globe	.06¾	.08

OTHER DISTRICTS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Balloon Hill Fraction	.01½	.....
Clark Copper	.09	.....
Nevada Hills	1.75	2.10
Round Mountain	.98	.....
Rawhide Coalition	1.15	.....
Leon G. & S.	.15¼	.....
First Nat'l Gold & Copper	.15½	.....
Hermosa	.02¾	.....
Tom Reed	.....	1.85

CALIFORNIA.

	Bid.	Asked.
California Hills	.12¾	.13½
Consolidated Mines Co.	.02¾	.03¾

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated	77.50	77.50
Associated Oil	38.12½	38.50
Columbia	1.08	1.11
Globe Oil	.13½	.14½
Union Oil	89.50	.....
Olinda	.24	.26

*Per thousand shares.

SALES—Morning call: 1000 Baby Florence at 2; 1000 California Hills at 13; 300 Combination Fraction at 1.27@1.38; 1000 Consolidated Mines at 2¾; 5000 Coalition at 1.07; 100 Daisy at 86; 100 Florence at 4.57½; 2000 Great Bend Annex at 6¼.

SALES—Afternoon call: 15,000 Lige Harris at ¼; 100 Fraction at 1.37; 200 do. at 1.38, B. 30; 600 Jumbo Extension at 25; 1000 California Hills at 13; 1000 do. at 13½, B. 30; 1000 Balloon Hill Fraction at 1¾.

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

HOME 'PHONE HOLDS STEADY.

STOCK RECOVERS TONE AFTER ITS RECENT SLUMP.

Attempted Trading in Preferred Monopolizes Most of Yesterday's Session on the Local 'Change. Union Oil Scores New High Water Mark, Though Trading Is Weak.

There was a fairly active market on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange yesterday, quite a large amount of business being transacted in the general list. Most of the time, however, was monopolized by the attempted trading in Home Telephone preferred.

This issue broke badly on Tuesday's call, as the result of the announcement of the rate decision, and several brokers predicted a sharp decline in selling prices. This seemed to have come at the opening yesterday, when a trade was made at 50.50. Despite a strong bearish influence in the market, the stock rapidly regained its position, and sold up to 53.00, although it was hard work to make any transactions. Only fifty shares were sold in all, and closing quotations were at 52.00@53.00, up ½ in the bid and unchanged in the asking price, compared with Tuesday's close.

It is rumored that John M. C. Marble has again begun hammering the market for Home preferred, taking advantage of the bad situation, induced through the recent court decision. Burbridge, Marble's broker, seemed to have a block of stock to dispose of yesterday, and made energetic efforts to break prices, but was unsuccessful, as the demand for the issue was fairly firm.

James H. Adams, who represents the other side of the market, while refusing to make a statement yesterday, said that there was no reason why the stock should be worth any

Tonopah	6.75	6.87½	6.75	6.87½
Tonopah Ex.	.41	.43	.41	.46
West End	.40	.44	.40	.44
Tramp	.12	.13	.12	.13
Pitts. Silver Peak	.85	.90	.85	.90
Shoshone	.03¾	1.00	.98¾	1.00
Montana	.....	.90	.....	.90
Nevada Hills	1.85	.....	1.70	.....
Greenwater	.05½	.07	.05½	.06
Furnace Creek	.14	.18	.14	.18
Yukon	.....	.....	4.38¾	4.68¾
Midway	.....	.....	.20	.24
Coalition	1.03	1.05	1.12½	1.15¾

SALT LAKE MINES.

CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

[SPECIAL TO THE TIMES.]

SALT LAKE CITY, Dec. 2.—Following are the closing quotations on the leading mining stocks listed here: Beck, 85@88; Colo., 3.20@3.22½; Colo. Cons., 1.50@1.70; D. W., 10@11; Grand, 3.12½@3.26¼; Mammoth, 1.75@1.90; M. V., 2.50@2.65; Ohio Copper, 5.45@5.50; Nevada Hills, 1.60@1.65; Silver King, 4.80@4.75; Uncle Sam, 61@63; Victoria, 1.90@2.00; I. B., 2.47½@2.50.

SAN FRANCISCO LIST.

OUTLOOK FOR MINERS GLOOMY.

HEAVY SELLING ALL ALONG THE NORTHERN LINE.

Market Closes Weak and With Prospect of Further Declines—Rawhide Coalition Securities Are the Only Stocks to Show Pronounced Gains During the Day's Session.

[SPECIAL TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—There was heavy selling all along the line today. The market closed weak and looks lower. The only issue that showed any strength and made any gains was Rawhide Coalition, which opened at 1.07½, sold up to 1.17½, and closed at 1.12½ bid on the informal, and was 1.15 bid on the curb.

The Tonopahs were exceedingly weak. Belmont closing 88 bid, after opening at 92. West End was 36 bid, opening at 38. McNamara was 41 bid, Tonopah Extension 40 bid. Montana was offered at 89 at the close, with no bids.

In the Goldfield list Consolidated and Florence lost 2½ points each, Daisy 1 point, compared with the opening. Booth was 28 bid, Blue Bull 11; St. Ives 20, Kewanee 27 bid, all off one point from the morning.

Nevada Hills showed some strength at 1.70 bid. Pittsburgh Silver Peak is sliding off day by day, closing at 85 bid. The Round Mountain Mining Company has declared a regular dividend of four cents a share payable December 15, to stockholders of record December 15. Following are the closing bid and asked prices with sales of the formal call:

Tonopah District—	Bid.	Asked.	Sales.
Belmont	$ .88	.....	200
Jim Butler	.16	$ .17	.....
Midway	.19	.21	100
McNamara	.41	.43	.....
Tonopah Ex.	.41	.....	.....
West End	.36	.....	.....
North Star	.....	.05	.....
Rescue Con.	.....	.05	.....
Montana	.....	.89	.....
Manhattan District—			
Manhattan Con.	.06	.....	.....
Manhattan Dexter	.02	.....	.....
Mustang Mountain	.02	.....	.....
Seyler Humphrey	.01	.....	.....
Thanksgiving	.04	.....	.....
Stray Dog	.04	.....	.....
Goldfield District—			
Adams	.05	.04	.....
Atlanta	.19	.21	.....
Booth	.28	.29	500
Blue Bull	.11	.12	2,000
Blue Bell	.04	.05	6,000
Black Butte Ex.	.01	.02	.....
C. O. D.	.45	.50	.....
Black Butte Bonanza	.....	.03	.....
Columbia Mountain	.18	.20	1,000
Conqueror	.04	.05	.....
Combination Fraction	1.37½	1.42½	.....
Crackerjack	.05	.06	150
Daisy	.85	.87	.....
Diamondfield Triangle	.04	.05	.....
Diamondfield	.10	.11	.....
Dixie	.01	.02	2,000
Empire	.03	.....	.....
Florence	4.62½	4.65	.....
Florence Ex.	.10	.....	.....
Goldfield Con.	7.67½	7.72½	150
Goldfield Gold Bar	.16	.17	500
Goldfield Kewanee	.27	.29	500
Great Bend	.29	.30	500
Great Bend Annex	.....	.07	.....
Grandma	.04	.05	.....
Jumbo Extension	.....	.25	.....
Lone Star	.06	.07	1,000
Lou Dillon	.01	.02	.....
Milltown Fraction	.01	.02	.....
Nevada Goldfield	.02	.03	.....
Oro	.11	.12	3,000
Potlach	.....	.08	.....
Red Top Ex.	.05	.06	2,000
Red Hills	.20	.21	1,000
Sandstorm	.29	.....	.....
St. Ives	.20	.....	500
Silver Pick	.12	.13	.....
Yellow Rose	.01	.....	.....
Yellow Tiger	.11	.13	.....
Bullfrog District—			
Bullfrog Mining	.....	.02	.....
Bullfrog Nat'l Bank	.....	.05	.....
Bonnie Clare	.....	.07	.....
Golden Scepter	.....	.01	.....
Gold Bar	.01	.02	.....
Homestake	.....	.16	.....
Lige Harris	.....	.01	.....
Mont. Shos. Ex.	.....	.01	.....
Montgomery Mt.	.10	.....	.....
Mayflower Con.	.07	.08	.....
Original Bullfrog	.01	.02	700
Tramp Con.	.....	.15	.....
Yankee Girl	.....	.02	.....
Bullfrog Alliance	.00½	.01	.....
Other Districts—			
Fairview Eagle's Nest	.06	.....	.....
Rawhide Queen	.70	.....	.....
Nevada Hills	1.70	.....	.....
Pittsburgh Silver Peak	.85	.88	.....
Round Mountain	.98	1.00	.....
Coalition	1.12½	.....	.....

OIL STOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] California Stock and Oil Exchange closing quotations were as follows:

Stocks—	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil trust cert.	38.00	38.12½
Brookshire	1.30	.....
Chicago Crude	.07	.09
Claremont	1.65	1.70
Esperanza	1.55	1.65
Four	.30	.....
Fulton	1.75	.....
Gypsy	.....	.....
Illinois Crude	.....	.28
Junction	.15	.22
Kern	.71	.75
Kern River	.10	.....
Linda Vista	9.50	.....
Monte Cristo	.30	.....
Princess Theater	.....	2.00
Occidental	.....	1.05
Paraffine	.25	.30
Piedmont	.23	.24
Pinal	.15	.....
Producers	.....	10.50
Record	2.50	.....
Rico	2.00	.....
Royalty	.80	.....
S. F. & McKittrick	1.90	.....
Sauer Dough	20.00	.....
Section Twenty-five	2.20	2.25
Shawmut	11.00	12.50
Sovereign	.85	.....
S. W. & B.	.25	.....
Sterling	.20	.....
Sunset Monarch	4.75	.....
Superior	.60	1.00
Wabash	.30	.....
West Shore	.....	.....
Wolverine	3.30	1.45
W. K. Oil Co.	.25	.....
	1.25	.....

SALES—Morning session: 2 Associated bonds at 86.50; 500 Claremont at 1.70; 100 Kern River at 10.00; 12 Associated at 38.00.

Afternoon session: 500 Daisy at 29; 100 Section Twenty-five at 11.00.

COMSTOCK QUOTATIONS.

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING PRICES.

[SPECIAL TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Following were the opening and closing quotations in the leading Comstock mining stocks today:

Stock—	—Open— Bid.	Asked.	—Close— Bid.	Asked.
Ophir	1.72½	1.77½	1.72½	1.77½
Mexican	.82	.85	.82	.....
Gould & Curry	.....	.08	.05	.09
Con. Virginia	.75	.76	.73	.74
Savage	.22	.24	.22	.24
Hale & Norcross	.....	.38	.33	.....
Yellow Jacket	.....	.....	.36	.38
Belcher	.20	.21	.20	.21
Sierra Nevada	.20	.22	.21	.22
Exchequer	.25	.....	.21	.....
Union	.20	.21	.36	.....
Choliar	.05	.....	.20	.21
Potosi	.....	.....	.06	.....
			.12	.13

NEVADA STOCKS.

NEW YORK CURB QUOTATIONS.

[SPECIAL TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The following are the opening and closing quotations on the New York curb on the leading Nevada issues:

Stock—	—Open— Bid.	Asked.	—Close— Bid.	Asked.
Goldfield Con.	7 11-16	7¾	7 11-16	7¾
Florence	4⅝	4¾	4⅝	4¾
Combination Fraction	1.37	1.40	1.37	1.39
Daisy	.87	.89	.86	.88
Booth	.27	.30	.27	.30
Atlanta	.19	.21	.19	.21
Red Hills	.21	.23	.21	.23
Silver Pick	.12	.14	.12	.14
Great Bend	.28	.31	.28	.31
Belmont	.85	.92	.85	.92
MacNamara	.40	.45	.40	.45
Jim Butler	.17	.19	.17	.19

SILVER GOING DOWN.

LOWEST IN SEVERAL YEARS.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The recent steady decline in the price of bar silver to 47⅝ per ounce, the lowest level in some years is ascribed chiefly to falling off in the demand for the metal at home and abroad. In the domestic market the demand was greatly reduced by the industrial depression of last year.

In India, which has always been an important market, the revolutionary movement has served to impart a speculative tone to operations in the silver market, while China has bought comparatively little bar silver here for months past.

A further decline in the price of bar silver occurred today when it was quoted at 47⅝.

BUTTER TRUST THREATENED.

GOVERNMENT MAY PROSECUTE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DAY REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Efforts on the part of the bull clique of produce men to advance further the price of butter will encounter vigorous opposition from consumers in general, dealers say, and it is possible the Federal authorities will take action in the matter.

The alleged combine which, it is said, has extended its operation in storage butter to all the leading markets of the country, is composed of dealers in several States.

The possibility would bring it within the jurisdiction of the Sherman anti-trust law in case values were raised arbitrarily.

The suggestion that the Sherman law might apply to this case was commented on by United States District Attorney Sims, who said that although, to his knowledge, the Federal authorities had never, to his knowledge, investigated combines seeking to control the butter market, the anti-trust statute was framed to protect the consumer from unjust conditions.

"If a conspiracy in restraint of trade affecting interstate commerce were shown to exist, it undoubtedly would be prosecuted promptly by this office or some other branch of the government," said Mr. Sims.

SHARES AND MONEY.

ROCK ISLAND TAKES TUMBLE.

VIOLENT SPECULATIVE FLURRY ENDS ABRUPTLY.

Rumors Had Exaggerated and Misrepresented Situation and Formal Denial of Interest by Kuhn, Loeb and Company Caused Sharp Break in Prices at Close of Day.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The violent speculative sentiment in the Rock Island securities, which broke out yesterday, continued in the early dealings today and threw the market into somewhat of a turmoil. There was notable subsidence of the extreme when the authorized statements were made of the financial operations about which the speculation centered, followed by a violent break in prices at the end of the day. The comparisons of these official statements with the rumors which had preceded them disclosed so much of exaggeration and distortion of the rumors that there was a disposition to hesitate about following a leadership in the market founded on such motives. The tone of the market thereupon fell into an unsettled state and there was a notable contraction in the dealings. Assertions were published over night that the St. Louis and San Francisco bonds had been sold to the amount of $45,000,000, sufficient to provide for all maturing obligations of the company falling due this year and next, and to furnish resources beside for extensive projects in contemplation. These reports pointed to the banking house which usually acts for the Harriman interests as the source of this financial assistance and the inference was broadly conveyed that association for mutual advantage between the Harriman and Rock Island systems was to be assumed as a consequence. Speculative enthusiasm, after rushing into the market during the first hour, was somewhat dampened by the formal statement of Kuhn, Loeb & Co., the Union Pacific bankers, that they had withdrawn from the St. Louis and San Francisco financing, which had been taken over by Speyer & Co., who have acted in Rock Island financing in previous occasions. The incident was regarded as involving some show of friction rather than an reapproachment of the financial groups concerned. The secondary effect on speculative sentiment was harmful rather than beneficial. Rumors were also circulated of a project for the formation of a holding company to bring the various Gould properties into closer relations. These also met with disclaimers from authoritative sources. The statements of October earnings of the Harriman Pacifics were relied upon to give fresh stimulation to the market, but their publication failed to bring any response, their favorable character having been overdiscounted. The comparisons with the corresponding month of last year in these statements were, in fact, less favorable than were contained in the September statements. The contributory cause to the latter reactionary tendency was the continuance of stiffer rates in the call money market. The engagement of gold for export was an influence on this, the $1,500,000 to be forwarded to Paris tomorrow already being assured of supplement in a later movement. The rate at which new bonds are coming on the market and the evidence of this in today's news is calculated to make an impression on the money market, with the rate of absorption of available capital thus indicated. The time money market was affected to some extent, and the tone was called firmer. The late tendency of the market was downward. Bonds were irregular. Total sales, par value, $7,506,000. United States bonds unchanged on call.

Closing Stocks—Actual Sales.

	Sales.	High-est.	Low-est.	Clos-ing bid.
Amalgamated Copper	37,900	85	83⅝	83⅝
Am. Car & Foundry	1,500	46⅝	46⅛	46
Am. C. & F. pfd.	.....	.....	.....	107
American Cotton Oil	800	42	42½	42
Am. Hide & L. pfd.	500	29	28½	28½
Am. Ice Securities	600	27⅝	26½	26¾
American Linseed	3,000	13½	14½	14¼
American Locomotive	1,700	56¼	55¼	55
Am. Locomotive pfd.	.....	.....	.....	109
Am. Smelting & Ref.	24,300	94	93¾	93¾
Am. S. & R. pfd.	600	106⅝	106	106
*Am. Sugar Refining	2,300	132⅝	130⅛	131
Am. Tobacco pfd.	300	95½	95¼	95
American Woolen	.....	.....	.....	35¼
Anaconda Mining Co.	2,300	49⅜	49	49
Atchison	12,900	98⅝	97¾	97⅝
Atchison pfd.	300	101⅞	101⅝	101½
Atlantic Coast Line	500	110½	110	109
Baltimore & Ohio	7,500	108⅝	106⅝	106⅝
B. & O. pfd.	200	93	92½	92
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	7,400	56⅝	55	55
Canadian Pacific	1,500	176½	175⅝	175⅝
Central Leather	1,100	28¼	28	28
Central Leather pfd.	400	101	101	101
Central of New Jersey	.....	.....	.....	210
Chesapeake & Ohio	7,700	49⅝	48¾	48¾
Chicago Great Western	1,500	11½	10⅝	10⅝
Chicago & N. W.	1,800	178½	177	177
Chicago, M. & St. Paul	36,100	133⅝	149⅞	149¾
C., C., C. & St. Louis	.....	.....	.....	.....
Colorado Fuel & Iron	2,800	38⅝	38	37⅝
Colorado & Southern	6,100	51⅛	50⅝	50⅝
Colo. & So. 1st pfd.	800	70½	69⅝	69⅝
Colo. & So. 2nd pfd.	800	63⅜	63	63
Consolidated Gas	19,200	165⅝	163⅝	163⅝
Corn Products	400	18⅞	18⅝	18⅝
Delaware & Hudson	200	176¼	176	175
Denver & Rio Grande	10,500	35⅛	34	34¼
D. & R. G. pfd.	2,500	79⅝	78⅝	78⅝
Distillers' Securities	500	34⅝	34¼	34
Erie	5,900	33½	32¼	32¼
Erie 1st pfd.	500	47⅝	46⅞	46⅝
Erie 2nd pfd.	100	38	38	37½
General Electric	500	162⅜	160	159½
Great Northern pfd.	40,100	143⅝	139¼	139⅝
Great North. Ore Ctfs.	2,700	72½	71½	72
Illinois Central	17,900	145⅝	147½	147⅝
Interborough-Met.	5,500	14⅝	12	14¼
Interborough-Met. pfd.	200	35½	34½	34⅝
International Paper	100	11⅝	11⅝	11½
Int'l Paper pfd.	200	57⅝	57	56
International Pump	.....	.....	.....	31
Iowa Central	2,400	29⅝	29⅝	28½
Kansas City Southern	9,300	34⅝	33⅝	33⅝
K. C. Southern pfd.	3,300	67⅝	66⅝	66
Louisville & Nashville	10,000	122	121	120½
Minn. & St. Louis	.....	.....	.....	47
M., St. P. & S. Ste. M.	200	133⅝	132	131½
Missouri Pacific	19,200	67⅝	64⅝	64⅝
Missouri, Kan. & Texas	19,100	39⅝	38	38⅝
M., K. & T. pfd.	1,900	71⅝	70⅝	70⅝
National Lead	1,800	83⅝	82⅝	82⅝
New York Central	7,700	118⅝	116⅝	116⅝
N. Y., Ontario & W.	19,800	46⅝	45	45
Norfolk & Western	100	84⅝	84⅝	83
North American	100	77⅝	77⅝	76
Northern Pacific	36,500	144	141	141⅛
Pacific Mail	11,100	39⅝	37	37½
Pennsylvania	3,300	129⅝	128⅛	128⅛
People's Gas	.....	.....	.....	100½
P., C., C. & St. Louis	300	85½	83⅝	85
Pressed Steel Car	.....	.....	.....	39
Pullman Palace Car	300	172½	172½	171
Railway Steel Spring	100	43⅝	43	43
Reading	137,800	140⅝	137⅞	137⅞
Republic Steel	600	27⅝	26⅝	25
Republic Steel pfd.	300	86⅝	86⅝	86
Rock Island Co.	29,000	25⅝	24⅝	24⅝
Rock Island Co. pfd.	13[illegible],700	61⅝	58⅝	58⅝
St. L. & S. F. 2nd pfd.	6,300	42⅝	39⅝	40
St. Louis, S. W.	2,500	22⅝	21⅝	20½
St. Louis, S. W. pfd.	3,000	51	53	51¼
Sloss Sheffield S. & I.	1,500	79½	53	53⅝
Southern Pacific	22,500	119⅝	117⅞	117⅞
Southern Pacific pfd.	500	122⅝	121⅝	121½
Southern Railway	1,900	25	24⅝	24⅝
Southern Railway pfd.	1,400	58⅝	57⅝	57⅝
Tennessee Copper	7,200	46	43⅝	43⅝
Texas & Pacific	1,900	34	33	33
Toledo, St. L. & W.	200	40	39⅝	39
T., St. L. & W. pfd.	1,400	64⅝	63⅝	63⅝
Union Pacific	133,600	183⅝	179⅝	180⅝
Union Pacific pfd.	400	96⅝	95	95⅝
United States Rubber	1,500	36	35	34⅝
U. S. Rubber 1st pfd.	800	108	107⅝	107⅝
United States Steel	12,900	55⅝	54	54
U. S. Steel pfd.	4,300	113	112⅝	112⅝
Utah Copper	700	48⅝	48	48
Va. Carolina Chemical	6,100	44	43	43
Va. Carolina Chem. pfd.	100	114	114	113½
Wabash	1,800	15⅝	15	15⅝
Wabash pfd.	15,200	37	35	35
Westinghouse Electric	1,300	91⅝	89⅝	89⅝
Western Union	100	69⅝	69⅝	68⅝
Wheeling & Lake Erie	.....	.....	.....	10
Wisconsin Central	4,700	31⅝	30	29⅝
Am. T. & T.	4,000	129⅝	129	129

Total sales for day...1,117,300

*Exdividend.

New York Bond Market.

[By Private Wire to E. F. Hutton & Co. Bankers and Brokers. Members New York Stock Exchange. No. 112 West Third street.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2. — Following is the range of quotations today:

	Bid.	Asked.
U. S. 2s reg.	103⅝	103½
U. S. 2s coup.	104	.....
U. S. 3s reg.	100⅝	101½
U. S. 3s coup.	100⅝	101½
U. S. 3s, small	100	.....
U. S. 4s reg. (new)	120⅝	121
U. S. 4s coup. (new)	121	.....
Panama 2s reg.	120	.....
District of Columbia	102	.....
Philippine Island 4s	110	.....
Jap. 4½s, 1st Ser.	91½	92
Jap. 4½s, 2nd Ser.	91	92
Japanese 4s	82	.....
Southern Pacific Col. 4s	91½	92½
Southern Railway 5s	107	108
Wabash 1st 5s	109⅝	110
Pennsylvania 3½s, 1912	95	99
Pennsylvania 3½s, 1915	94⅝	95
Atchison Gen. 4s	100⅝	100¾
Union Pacific 1st 4s	102⅝	102⅝
N. P. prior lien 4s	103	103⅝
N. Y. Central 3½s	93½	94
Atchison Conv. 4s	102⅝	103
Del. & Hudson Conv. 4s	102⅝	104⅝
Reading Gen. 4s	99⅝	100
Baltimore & Ohio 4s	100	100⅝
B. & O. prior lien 3½s	94⅝	94⅝
N. Y. Central 4½s	112	112⅝
Union Pacific Conv. 4s	106⅝	106⅝
Third Avenue 5s	107	.....
N. Y. Central 4½s (new)	112	112⅝
Pennsylvania	103⅝	103⅝
C. F. I.	75	78
Union Pacific	96⅝	97
Subway	88	88⅝
Western Pacific 5s	92⅝	92⅝
Rock Island 4s	75⅝	76
Un. Rys. St. L. 4s	82⅝	.....
St. L. & S. F. Ref. 4s	79⅝	80
Nor. & W. Con. 4s	98⅝	.....
Met. St. Ry. Ny. Ref. 4s	55	56
C. R. I. & P. 1st Ref. 4s	89⅝	90
Interboro-Met. 4½s	75	75⅝
Atl. Coast (L. & N.) Col. 4s	86⅝	89⅝
Or. R. R. & Nav. 4s	101	101⅝
O. S. L. Ref. Gold 4s	96	97
Erie 1st Con. P. L. 4s	86	.....
Central Pacific 1st 4s	.....	98⅝
Atl. Coast Line Con. 4s	95⅝	96
L. & N. Uni. 4s	101⅝	102
C. B. & Q. Joint 4s	99	99⅝
Reading Gen. 4s	99⅝	99⅝
C. & O. Gen. 4½s	104⅝	105⅝

Boston Stocks and Bonds.

BOSTON, Dec. 2.—Closing prices:

Money—		Am. Pneu. Tube	7⅝
Call loans	3@3½	Am. Sugar	131
Time loans	3½@4½	Am. Sugar pfd.	129
Bonds—		Am. Tel. & Tel.	124
Atchison Adj. 4s	*91½	Am. Woolen	29½
Atchison 4s	99⅝	Am. Woolen pfd.	95¼
Railroads—		Dom. I. & S.	20⅝
Atchison	97⅝	Ed. Electric Illu.	252
Atchison pfd.	101⅝	Gen. Electric	160
Boston & A.	*223	Mass. Electric	13
Boston & Maine	132½	Mass. Elec. pfd.	**60
Boston Elevated	129½	Mass. Gas	58⅝
N. Y. N. H. & H.	158	United Fruit	131
Union Pacific	180	U. Shoe Mach.	59
Miscellaneous—		U. Shoe M. pfd.	29
Am. Arge. Chem.	33⅝	U. S. Steel	54
A. A. Chem. pfd.	94⅝	U. S. Steel pfd.	112⅝

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New York Money Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Prime mercantile paper, 3@3½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84.55@4.84.65 for 60-day bills, and at 4.86.75 for demand. Commercial bills, 4.84 1-4@4.84⅝. Bar silver, 47 5-8. Mexican dollars, 45. Government bonds steady; railroad bonds irregular. Money on call firm, 2@2½ per cent.; ruling rate and closing bid, 2; offered at 2 1-4. Time loans firmer; 60 days, 2 3-4@3 per cent.; 90 days, 3; six months, 3@3½.

Treasury Statement.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 2.—Today's statement of the treasury balances, exclusive of the $150,000,000 gold reserve, shows: Available cash balance, $151,654,298; gold coin and bullion, $29,160,140; gold certificates, $52,645,540.

Good Investments

I believe it prudent to make purchases of the following at current prices:

L. A. Edison 5 per cent. preferred, now selling at $82.75.

L. A. Edison common, paying 5 per cent., now selling $63.00.

Union Oil, paying 6 per cent., now selling at $91.00.

Columbia Oil Company, paying 6 per cent., now selling at $1.09.

Ball Copper, 7 per cent. preferred, now selling $2.50.

American National Bank, paying 6 per cent., now selling $117.50.

Amalgamated Oil, paying 12 per cent., now selling $80.00.

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THE WEATHER.

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St. Louis	28	14	21	Kansas City	30	16	23
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Sunday	"	6	8:20 p.m. / 7:45 a.m.	2:22 p.m. / 2:10 a.m.
Monday	"	7	9:37 p.m. / 8:15 a.m.	2:33 p.m. / 2:43 a.m.
Tuesday	"	8	9:33 p.m. / 8:38 a.m.	3:14 p.m. / 3:14 a.m.
Wednesday	"	9	10:33 p.m. / 9:15 a.m.	3:34 p.m. / 3:01 a.m.
Thursday	"	10	11:33 p.m. / 10:00 a.m.	4:34 p.m. / 3:34 a.m.
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Sloops Helbertha, Ruby, Dawn, Ina, Martha, Elmira and Redondo, from the fishing banks, with 2500 pounds of fish for local and Los Angeles wholesalers.

SAILED.

The above sloops for the fishing banks.

Notes.

The Santa Rosa was in and out north-bound today, taking at this port sixty-five tons of miscellaneous cargo and 125 passengers for Santa Barbara and San Francisco.

The steamer Quinault arrived this morning from Puget Sound with a part cargo for this port. She brings 250,000 feet of lumber for Cleghorn & Guernsey and 150,000 feet for Ganahl & Co. The remainder of her cargo is consigned to San Pedro.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Arrived: Steamers Fairhaven, from San Pedro; Pasadena, from San Pedro; Maverick, from Redondo. Sailed: Steamer Coos Bay, for San Pedro.

GENERAL EASTERN.

BUYING BY BULLS FEATURE OF PIT.

WHEAT PRICES STRONG ALL DAY DESPITE LIBERAL SALES.

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[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Renewed buying by leading bulls was again the feature of the wheat pit, and demand from this source held the market strong all day despite liberal realizing sales, which at times caused slight recessions in prices. Rumors were current on the floor of the exchange that several bull leaders are endeavoring to engineer what promises, it was said, to be one of the most spectacular "deals" ever known in the history of the local board. Efforts to advance prices were given impetus today by the report of a local crop expert which claimed that the condition of the fall-sown crop of wheat in this country December 1 is the lowest ever recorded, being 75.9 against 90.8 a year ago. The report further stated the condition was low everywhere except on the Pacific Coast and that in the States east of the Mississippi River the condition is poor. Decreased receipts in the northwest also helped prices upward. The market opened firm, with prices 1/8 lower to 1-4 higher. December being at 1.05 1-8 to 1.05 3-8, and May at 1.09 5-8 to 1.09 7-8. During the day prices advanced 1/4, but most of the gain was lost in sensational realizing. The close, however, was strong, with December at 1.05¾; May at 1.10@1.10 1-8, and July at 1.03 1-4 @1.03 3-8. Corn was weak. The market closed at the lowest point of the day, with prices off 1-4 to 7-8, final quotations on December being 61, and on May 62 5-8. Oats were weak, closing at 48 3-8@48½ for December, and 51 1-4 for May. Provisions were quiet. The market closed easy, with prices 2½@7½ lower.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was firm; No. 2 spring wheat, 1.07@1.09; No. 3, 1.04@1.08; No. 2 red, 1.06¼@1.08; No. 2 corn, 61@61½; No. 2 yellow, 61@61½; No. 2 oats, 47; No. 3 white, 48½@50; No. 2 rye, 75; good feeding barley, 54; fair to choice malting, 58@63; No. 1 flaxseed, 1.44; No. 1 northwestern, 1.45½; prime timothy seed, 3.95; clover, contract grades, 9.40; short ribs, sides (loose), 8.12½@8.55; mess pork, per bbl., 14.00@14.70; lard, per 100 lbs., 9.27½; short clear sides (boxed), 8.75@9.00.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	36,000	29,000
Wheat, bushels	127,000	115,000
Corn, "	292,000	90,000
Oats, "	314,000	288,000
Rye, "	5,000	3,000
Barley, "	106,000	59,000

Chicago Dairy Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was steady; creamery, 22@30; dairy, 21@28; eggs, firm at mark, cases included, 24@27; firsts, 30; prime firsts, 31; cheese, firm, 13½@14.

Grain and Provisions.

[By Private Wire to E. F. Hutton & Co., Bankers and Brokers, Members New York Stock Exchange, No. 112 West Third street.]

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	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
December	105¼	106	105¼	105¾
December (old)	....	....	....	†106
May	109⅝	110¼	109⅝	*110
July	102⅞	103⅝	102⅞	*103¼
Corn—				
December	61⅝	61¾	61	*61
May	62⅞	63	62⅝	62⅝
July	62⅞	63⅛	62⅜	*62⅜
September	62⅞	62⅞	62⅜	**62⅜
Oats—				
December	48½	48⅝	48⅜	48½
May	51⅛	51⅜	51	**51¼
July	46⅝	46⅝	46¼	**46¼
Pork—				
December	14.47	14.55	14.47	14.50
January	16.12	16.15	16.10	16.10
May	16.37	16.40	16.35	*16.35
Lard—				
January	9.30	9.30	9.27	*9.27
May	9.52	9.52	9.47	**9.50
December	....	....	....	**9.22
Short Ribs—				
January	8.45	8.45	8.45	**8.45
May	8.67	8.67	8.65	**8.67

*Bid. **Asked. †Nominal.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Evaporated apples are in better demand and 7c is asked for prime fruit for January delivery. On spot fancy apples are quoted at 8¾; choice, 7½@7 3-4; prime at 6 1-2@7, and old crop at 4@6, according to grade.

Prunes are firmer with quotations ranging from 4 to 7 3-4 for California fruit up to 30's to 40's and from 6½ to 7½ for Oregon 30's to 50's.

Apricots are firm, with choice quoted at 9½; extra, 10½; fancy, 11@11½.

Peaches are quiet, but there is no selling pressure, prices being firmly held. Choice are quoted at 7@7 1-4; extra, 7 1-4@8, and fancy, 8½@11.

Raisins are in moderate demand, with loose muscatels quoted at 5 1-4@5½; choice to fancy, seeded, 6@8; seedless, 4½@6, and London layers, at 1.50@1.60.

New York Metal Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—A further decline was reported in the London tin market today with spot at £133 15s, and futures at £135 15s. The local market was easy in consequence, with spot at 29.50@29.90. Copper declined to £63 for spot, and £64 for futures in London. Locally, the market was firm and nominally unchanged, with lake quoted at 14.37½@14.50; electrolytic, 14.12½@14.25; casting, 14.00@14.12½. Lead was unchanged at £13 2s 6d in London. Locally, dull at 4.25@4.30. Spelter was 5s lower, at £21 5s in London, but remained quiet at 5.15@5.20 in New York. Iron was lower with standard foundry quoted at 49s and Cleveland warrants at 49s in the English market. The local market was unchanged.

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Cattle—Receipts about 21,000; market steady to shade lower; beeves, 3.50@7.60; Texans, 3.00@4.50; westerns, 3.40@5.80; stockers and feeders, 2.70@4.75; cows and heifers, 1.60@5.10; calves, 5.00@7.00. Hogs—Receipts about 38,000; market strong to 5c higher; light, 5.10@5.67½; mixed, 5.40@6.12½; heavy, 5.36@6.15; rough, 5.45@5.65; good to choice heavy, 5.65@6.15; pigs, 3.75@4.90; bulk of sales, 5.65@5.95. Sheep—Receipts about 26,000; market steady; natives, 2.50@4.75; westerns, 2.75@4.50; yearlings, 4.20@5.00; lambs, 4.00@6.75; westerns, 4.00@6.25.

New York Cotton Market.

[By Private Wire to E. F. Hutton & Co., Bankers and Brokers, Members New York Stock Exchange, No. 112 West Third street.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—The bear crowd worked hard to get prices down, but all cotton was well absorbed by leading Wall street bulls. A local statistician was out with a report intimating the total crop at 12,580,000 bales, but trade took it with conservatism. Exports continue on a large scale. We repeat that we think cotton is the cheapest thing on the market now and advise purchase on every soft spot.

Hill, of Logan & Bryan, says: "Liverpool was a trifle better than expected. If the professionals are really endeavoring to hammer the market they should go after Liverpool as well as New York. Yesterday's rumors of preliminary figures for the census report reached the extreme high figures of 11,300,000 bales, which was accepted by a great many people, who let others do the thinking. There is no reason to expect a ginning record from the government in their report of December 8, of such proportions as these unless, of course, the crop views of the world are all awry. The figures will probably be in the neighborhood of 10,850,000 bales, and as the public are letting professionals mould its opinion rather than have one of its own, it leaves the market with very little buying power whom professionals choose to raid it. The most important factor in governing prices is the ever-increasing demand which goes on undisturbed. Cotton is cheap.

"After an early decline of about five to six points, aggressive buying of some volume developed which carried prices upward ten points, from the low point reached, or about five to six points above yesterday's close.

"The census report, which will be issued at 9 a.m. next Tuesday, will show the cotton ginned to December 1, and the professional operators in New York have ideas that it will show about 11,000,000 to 11,200,000 bales ginned to that date. In my opinion, this report will show something like 10,875,000 bales, which, when taken into consideration by the Agricultural Department, which issues their quantitative annual report crop estimated on the following day, December 9, at noon, Chicago time, will tend to lessen such ideas. With conditions as they now exist they should be on a strong financial basis, and it is presumed that similar conditions obtain through the entire milling district of the country. We still feel that prices will show a substantial if not sensational advance."

Following is range of quotations today:

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	8.91	8.92	8.81	8.90@8.92
February	....	....	....	8.90@8.92
March	8.92	8.91	8.81	8.90@8.91
April	8.92	8.94	8.82	8.90@8.91
May	8.95	8.95	8.83	8.94@8.95
June	....	....	8.88	8.90@8.91
July	8.93	8.91	8.81	8.90@8.91
August	8.78	8.82	8.75	8.81@8.82
October	8.58	8.64	8.57	8.62@8.64
December	9.10	9.24	9.10	9.22@9.24

Boston Copper Market.

[By private wire to E. F. Hutton & Co., bankers and brokers. Members New York Stock Exchange, No. 112 West Third street.]

BOSTON, Dec. 2.—The market began to look a little tired about noon and in the late dealings prices ran off easily, the local coppers were only slightly affected, however, and held well. Copper Range was in good demand around 82. Buying of Shannon was noticeable today, one house taking 1500 and another buying 1000, with the sellers very much scattered. Paine says: "I expect Shannon to be a leader on the next upward movement. Remember this is a traders' market and should be bought on such reactions as this one today."

Following were the closing quotations today:

	Bid.	Asked.
Ahmeek	118	125
Davis Daly	3	3 1-16
East Butte	7¾	7⅞
Majestic	83	85
Raven	82	90
Superior & Pittsburgh	19	19¼
Allouez	38¾	39¼
Arnold	75	100
Butte Coalition	27¼	27⅜
Centennial	34	35
Daly West	10¾	11
Granby	103	104
Mercury	60	70
Mohawk	69¼	70¼
North Butte	84¾	87
Osceola	133½	137
Quincy	95½	96¼
Shannon	15¾	15⅞
United Copper	14⅝	14¾
Victoria	7	7¼
Wyandotte	2	2¼
Lasalle	14	14½
U. S. Mining pfd.	45½	46
Boston & Albany	223	....
Boston & Montana	132¼	132½
Superior & Boston	13⅝	14
Yukon	4 3-16	4 11-16
Butte & London	40	47
Dominion Copper	3-16	5-16
Giroux	6 7-16	6½
Nevada-Utah	3 1-16	3⅛
S. M. pfd.	17½	18
United Leather	31	32
Arcadian	4½	5
Atlantic	17¾	19¼
Calumet & Arizona	120½	121
Con. Mercur	25	30
Elm River	2¾	3½
Greene Cananea	11	11¼
Mexican	3⅝	4
Parrott	30	30¼
Rhode Island	6	6⅛
Tamarack	83	84
Oil	23¾	30
Amalgamated Copper	83¾	83⅞
Boston Con.	15¼	15⅜
Lake	21¾	21⅞
Miami	12¼	12½
Ray Consolidated	7⅛	7¼
Black Mountain	3⅝	4
Gas	92	93
First National	7⅝	7¾
Hancock	11¼	12
Helvetia	3¾	4
Cons. Ely	8⅝	8¾
Globe	7½	8
Nipissing	10⅝	10¾
Superior Copper	32¾	33¼
Apex	6½	6¾
Massachusetts	7¾	7⅞
United Fruit	129	129¼
Adventure	9⅛	9½
Arizona Commercial	38¼	38½
Bingham	22½	22¾
Cal. Hecla	675	680
Copper Range	81¾	82
Franklin	17½	17¾
Massachusetts Gas	56¼	56¾
Mass. Gas pfd.	89	89½
Michigan	14	14¼
Nevada	19¼	19⅜
Old Dominion	58¼	58½
Phoenix	60	61
Santa Fe	2½	2¾
Trinity	17¾	18
Utah Con.	46	46¼
Wolverine	130	131
Zinc	25¼	26
Isle Royale	23¾	24
U. S. Mining	46	46¼
Tennessee Copper	45	45¼
Keneway	4¾	5

New York Cotton Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Cotton futures opened steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 1 points and closed very steady at a net advance of 3@5 points. Close: December, 9.22; January, 8.91; February, March and April, 8.90; May, 8.94; June and July, 8.91; August, 8.81; October, 8.62. Spot quiet; middling uplands, 9.25; middling Gulf, 9.50. Sales, 300 bales. The Cotton Exchange here will be closed December 25 and 26, and January 1 and 2.

Chicago Closing Figures.

CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Wheat, December, 1.05¾; May, 1.10@1.10 1-8; July, 1.03 1-4@1.03 3-8. Corn, December, 61; May, 62 5-8; July, 62 1-4@62 3-8; September, 62 3-8. Oats, December, 48 3-8@48½; May, 51 1-4; July, 46 5-8. Rye, cash, 75@76; March, 74; May, 75 1-4. Barley, cash, 58½@63. Timothy, December, 3.85@3.87½; March, 3.95. Clover, December, 9.40; March, 9.65.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Wheat—Spot, firm; options eased off at the end and closed finally ½c net higher; December closed, 1.15¼; May, 1.16¼. Hops, quiet; wool, petroleum and hides, steady. Sugar—Raw, steady; fair refining, 3.42; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.92; molasses sugar, 3.17; refined, quiet.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 2.—Wool, firm; medium grades, combing and clothing, 17@22; light fine, 16@17; heavy fine, 14@17; tub washed, 20@29.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND, (Or.) Dec. 2.—Wheat, track prices, club, 93; blue stem, 95; Turkey red, 93; red Russian, 87; valley, 91.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Butter firm, unchanged. Cheese firm, unchanged. Eggs firm, unchanged.

Furnish Gold for Paris.

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—Lazard Freres today announced an engagement of $2,000,000 gold for shipment to Paris.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS.

FRUIT, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Fruits—Fancy apples, 1.10; common, 40.

Berries—Strawberries, 5.00@7.00; cranberries, 8.50@15.00.

Pears—Common, 50; fancy, 1.25.

Persimmons, 50@1.00.

Oranges—Navels, 1.50@2.00; Valencia, 1.50@2.00; Mexican limes, 4.00@5.00.

Lemons—Common California, 1.00@1.50; good to choice, 1.75@2.50; fancy, 2.50@3.25.

Tropical Fruits—Bananas, 1.00@2.00; pineapples, 1.50@3.00.

Beans—Pink, 2.40@2.60; lima, 4.25@4.40; small white, 4.25@4.60; large white, 3.65@3.85.

Potatoes—Oregon Burbanks, 1.15@1.35; Salinas Burbanks, 1.25@1.55; Mercew sweets, 1.25@1.50.

Various—Green peas, 5@8; string beans, 6@9; green peppers, 5@10; tomatoes, 50@1.00; summer squash, 50@1.00; garlic, 7@8.

Butter—Fancy creamery, 35; seconds, 28; fancy dairy, 30; seconds, 30.

Cheese—New, 13@15½; Eastern, 17; Young America, 16@17½.

Eggs—Ranch, 50; store, 45; eastern, 30.

Poultry—Live turkeys, 19@21; dressed turkeys, 25@28; roosters, old, 4.00@4.50; roosters, young, 6.00@8.00; broilers, small, 3.50@4.00; broilers, large, 4.00@5.00; fryers, 5.00@5.50; hens, 4.00@9.00; ducks, old, 4.00@6.00; ducks, young, 6.00@9.00; geese, 2.00@2.50; pigeons, old, 1.00@1.25; pigeons, young, 2.00@2.50.

Flour—Family extras, 5.40@6.00; bakers' extras, 5.40@5.65; Oregon and Washington, 4.90@5.40.

Wheat—Shipping, 1.63¾@1.67½; milling, 1.67½@1.72½.

Barley—Feed, 1.42½@1.46¼; brewing, 1.50@1.53¾; Chevalier, 1.55@1.60.

Oats—Red, 1.57½@2.10; white, 1.65@1.80; black, 2.25@2.40.

Millstuffs—Middlings, 33.50@38.50; mixed feed, 28.00@32.00; rolled barley, 30.00@31.00; oatmeal, 4.50@4.50; oat groats, 4.50@4.60; rolled oats, 38.00@34.50.

Hay—Wheat, 15.00@22.00; wheat and oat, 12.00@21.00; oat, wild, 15.00@18.00; oat, tame, 16.00@19.00; alfalfa, 11.00@15.00; straw, 60@90.

Receipts—Flour, 1190; wheat, 3070; barley, 2195; oats, 1015; beans, 1706; potatoes, 4720; onions, 140; middlings, 290; hay, 230; hides, 1525; wine, 23,100.

Callboard Sales.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Wheat, steady; cash, 1.63¾@1.67½. Barley, steady; May, 1.47 3-4 ask; 1.47 1-4 bid; December, 1.43 ask; cash, 1.42½@1.46 1-4. Corn, steady; large yellow, 1.75@1.85. Afternoon session: Wheat, steady; no trading. Barley, steady; May, 1.47¾; December, 1.43 ask.

San Francisco Dairy Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Butter, fancy creamery, 35; do., seconds, 28; fancy dairy, 33; dairy seconds, 30; pickled, 25½. Eggs, store, 45; fancy, ranch, 50; eastern, 30. Cheese, new, 13@15½; Young America, 16@17½; eastern, 17.

Drafts and Silver.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—Silver bars, 47¾; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts, sight, par; drafts, telegraph, 2½.

SAN FRANCISCO CLOSING.

STOCK AND BOND QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There was strong demand for United Railroad 4s, 2000 shares selling at 72.62½. Fifteen thousand shares of California Gas and Electric is sold at 88.25. The Stock and Bond Exchange closing quotations follow:

Bonds—	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co. 5s	85¼	86¾
Bay Counties P. Co. 5s	103¾	....
Cal. Central Gas & E. 5s	101	....
Cal. G. & E. G. M. & C. T. 5s	89¼	90
Cal. St. Cable Co. 5s	105¾	....
Cal. Wine Assn. 5s	82	85
Contra Costa Water Co. 5s	93	....
Contra Costa Gen. Mtg. 5s	89	....
Ed. Elec. Co. of L. A. 5s	100½	102
Edison L. & P. 6s	104¾	....
Ferries & C. H. Ry. 6s	102	104
Hawaiian Com'l & S. 5s	103½	....
Honolulu R. T. & L. Co. 6s	104	105¼
Lake Tahoe Ry. & T. Co. 6s	104	....
Los Angeles Elec. Co. 5s	100	....
L. A. Gas & Elec. Co. 5s	98	....
Los Angeles Railway 5s	107¼	....
L. A. Lighting Gd. 5s	96¼	....
L. A. P. Ry. 1st Con. Mtg. 5s	104	....
L. A. P. Ry. of Cal. 5s	103	....
Market St. Cable 6s	106	....
Mkt. St. Ry. 1st Con. Mtg. 5s	104¾	105
North. Ry. Co. of Cal. 5s	114¾	115¼
North Pac. Coast Ry. 5s	105	....
North. Cal. Ry. 5s	102½	....
Northern Cal. P. Co. 5s	95	....
Oak. Gas L. & H. 5s	103	....
Oakland Transit Co. 6s	....	114
Oakland Transit Co. 5s	105¼	....
Oakland Transit Co. Con. 5s	105¾	....
Oakland Traction Con. 5s	93	....
Oakland Traction Co. 5s	....	....
Oakland Water Co. Gtd. 5s	92½	96
Omnibus Cable Ry. 6s	109	113
Pacific Gas Imp. 4s	94	....
Pacific Elec. Ry. Co. 5s	104¾	105¼
Pacific L. & P. Co. 5s	91	....
Pac. Tel. & Tel. Co. 5s	96¾	....
Park & Cliff House Ry. 6s	94	....
Park & Ocean Ry. 6s	104	97¾
Powell St. Ry. 6s	101	....
Sac. Elec., Gas & Ry. 5s	....	99¾
S. F. & S. J. V. Ry. 5s	....	....
S. F., O. & S. J. Ry. 5s	....	....
S. F., O. & S. J. 2nd Mtg. 5s	93	....
Sierra Ry. of Cal. 6s	100	....
S.P.R.R. of Ariz. 6s, 1909	102¾	....
S.P.R.R. of Ariz. 1910	103½	....
S.P.R.R. of Cal. 6s, 1912	105¾	....
S.P.R.R. of Cal. 1st C. Gtd. 5s	118¾	....
S. P. Branch Ry. of Cal. 6s	128	....
S.P.R.R. Co. 1st Refg. 4s	95¼	....
S. V. Water Co. Gen. Mtg. 4s	94¾	95
Stockton Gas & E. Co. 6s	100	....
United Gas & E. Co. 5s	99½	....
United R. R. of S. F. 4s	72½	72⅝
Valley Counties P. Co. 5s	95	....
Water Stocks—		
Marin County	....	....
Spring Valley Water Co.	30¼	31
Gas and Electric Stocks—		
Mutual Elec. Light. Co. ctfs.	4½	....
Pacific Lighting Corp. com.	14½	....
Stockton Gas & Elec. Co.	52	....
Insurance Stocks—		
Fireman's Fund	237½	240
Bank Stocks—		
American National Bank	128	....
Anglo-Cal. Ltd. (50 paid)	75	....
Bank of California	281	300
First National Bank of S. F.	316¾	....
London-Paris National Bank	130	138
Mercantile Trust Co.	205	215
S. F. National Bank	....	130
Union Trust Co.	2400	....
Savings Banks—		
German Savings & Loan	....	2500
Humboldt Savings Bank	....	160
Mutual Savings Bank	....	78
San Francisco Savings Union	545	520
Savings & Loan Society	....	135
Security Savings Bank	330	....
Street Railroad Stocks—		
California	110	....
Presidio	30	....
Powder Stocks—		
Giant Consolidated	73	77
Sugar Stocks—		
Hawaiian Com'l & Sugar	97¼	98¼
Honokaa Sugar Co.	13¾	14
Hutchinson S. P.	17½	18¼
Makawell Sugar Co.	82¾	83
Onomea Sugar Co.	....	32
Paauhau S. P. Co.	20	21
Union Sugar Co.	44¼	....
Miscellaneous Stocks—		
Alaska Packers' Assn.	84¾	86
Associated Oil Co.	38	....
Cal. Fruit Canners' Assn.	100¾	102
California Wine Assn.	67	68
M. V. & Mt. Tam. S. Ry.	....	115
Pacific Aux. Fire Alarm	3¾	....
Pacific Coast Borax Co.	150	....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. pfd.	81¾	....
Pacific Tel. & Tel. com.	15¼	16

SALES—Morning session: 30 Associated Oil Co. at 38.25; 15,000 Cal. Gas & Elec. G. M. & Ct. 5s at 88.25; 300 Paauhau S. P. at 20.50, 10; 200 Pacific Tel. & Tel. common at 15.62½; 125 Pacific Tel. & Tel. preferred at 81.50@81.75; 5000 Sacramento Elec. Gas & Ry. 5s at 99.75; 3000 S. P. R. R. 1st refunding 4s at 96.00.

SALES—Afternoon session: 180 Alaska Packers' Association at 87.00; 10 Associated Oil at 38.12½; 1000 California Gas & Elec. G. M. & Ct. 5s at 88.25; 5000 Los Angeles-Pacific Ry. 1st Con. 5s at 104.50; 14,000 Northern California Ry. 5s at 103.00; 1000 S. P. R. R. 1st refunding 4s at 96.00; 105 Spring Valley Water Co. at 30.25; 2000 Spring Valley Water Co. Gen. Mtg. 4s at 94.87½; 7000 U. R. R. of S. F. 4s at 72.62½.

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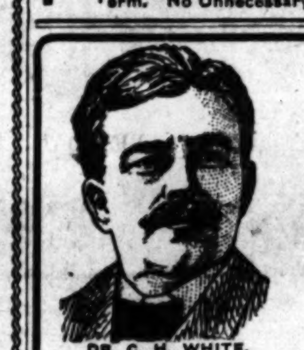

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RAINS BRING CHEER.

(Continued From First Page.)

At an early hour this morning word was received from Santa Barbara that the rainfall there was particularly heavy, with the record for the storm 2.25 inches.

WELCOME PATTER.

NORTH HOPES FOR WETTING.

STORM PROMISED FOR TODAY IS NEEDED.

Santa Clara Valley and West Side of San Joaquin Have Had Little Rain and Moisture Is Badly Needed. Advance Shower at Fresno and Sacramento.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The storm has not been heavy, either around here or in the big valleys, but it is expected that tomorrow the storm will be general.

In the last twenty-four hours Fresno had .24 of an inch, Sacramento .06 and San Francisco and San José only .05 of an inch.

The Weather Bureau predicts rain for all Northern California tomorrow.

The Santa Clara Valley is still suffering for rain, and only dry plowing is possible, and the west side of the San Joaquin has had very little rain.

The southern counties have had twice as much rain as Sacramento and San Joaquin valleys this season.

Channel Gale and Rain.

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] All Santa Barbara county received a generous drenching today and tonight. Preceded by a thirty-mile gale last night and this morning, rain started about 11 o'clock and fell at intervals all the afternoon. At 4:30 o'clock a fall of .60 of an inch was recorded. It then fell heavier and constantly and at 6 o'clock more than an inch had fallen. Precipitation for the season, not including this storm, was 3.20 inches. This county generally gets most rain between January and March.

The rain of a week ago softened the land so farmers could plow and much of this work is already done. Planting will go in a month earlier than usual. The rain came in the nick of time for ranchers whose stock was beginning to suffer for want of feed on the ranges.

A high gale today, made things lively on the water front, where the usually smooth channel was whipped into fury. Several small boats came ashore, but were drawn out not badly damaged. Several fishermen caught out by the gale had narrow escapes. The remainder of the San Pedro fishing fleet took refuge from the storm and are safe. Indications here are for a protracted storm.

Good for Perris.

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A light rain, scarcely more than a mist, fell in Riverside today, amounting to .06 of an inch up to 10 o'clock tonight. In the outside sections of the county, where the need of rain was greater, the precipitation was much heavier. In Perris the fall was about half an inch. The storm began there about noon and rain has fallen steadily throughout the afternoon and evening. This will be of great benefit to the grain crop as a large acreage has been seeded and the need of rain would have soon become serious. Farmers in the grain-growing districts of the county state that the rain is worth thousands of dollars toward larger crops.

Drizzle in San Diego.

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Since the middle of the afternoon rain has been falling over the entire South Coast extending, so far as reports have been received, down into the Mexican country. The precipitation is not heavy, being more in the nature of a drizzle. Back in the mountains the rain is no heavier than along the coast. On account of the light precipitation no measurements had been taken up to 9 o'clock tonight. Ranchers in the back country called up tonight to say the rain is welcome, as it was badly needed, especially for the purpose of preparing the ground for plowing. Indications are that the rain will continue throughout the night with prospects for a much heavier fall by morning. It is reported that rain is also falling in the Imperial country.

Rain Is Welcome.

PASADENA, Dec. 2.—Rain which began falling here shortly after 1 o'clock yesterday morning, came in showers at daylight and this entire section, including the near-by mountains, received a much-needed soaking. No damage was done and fruit growers living here, who have interests elsewhere, are much encouraged. The total rainfall for the season here, as registered by Observer Sorver, is 3.40 inches. No rain fell here between 6 and 11 o'clock last night.

In Valley and Mountains.

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 2.—A generous precipitation among the mountains, yet only .19 of an inch in the valley, is the best that the rain man could give this region, and is the record for the present storm up to 11 o'clock tonight, at which hour prospects for continued rain seem good. Along the mountains the rain commenced shortly after 6 o'clock Tuesday night, reaching generous proportions by midnight, and continuing at intervals during today. Squirrel Inn reports 1.05; Pine Crest, 1.06; Oak Glen, 1.20.

Throughout the valley the rain was uniform, San Bernardino reporting .19; Colton, .18; Redlands, .20; Highland, .22; Rialto, .19. The moisture comes opportunely, following a week of intensely cold nights, which have scorched tender vegetation, high north winds adding to the trouble by drying out the soil. With more rain citrus fruits will yellow rapidly and be in excellent condition for the holiday market.

Light at Santa Ana.

SANTA ANA, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Heavy clouds have been hanging overhead for twenty-four hours, but as yet, for this storm, less than .05 of an inch of rain has fallen here. Better showers fell in the foothills. While a rain would cause the orange packing-houses to lay off, it would do much good.

Elsinore Rain Light.

ELSINORE, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The rain began falling last night, and though the precipitation was light and intermittent, it continues.

Monrovia Is Wet.

MONROVIA, Dec. 2.—At 8 o'clock tonight the rain totals .92 of an inch and it is still coming down hard. This makes the total for the season 5.18 inches. At Storr's ranch 1.5 inches has fallen today, making a total of 6 inches there for the season. The water in the cañon is just beginning to rise.

Long Beach Dripping.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 2.—Rain fell steadily from 7 o'clock until noon, at which time the gauge registered .23 of an inch, a total for the season of 4.82 inches, a record equaled only in 1896 and 1905. Last year at this date the rainfall was 1.13 inches. Old ocean was rough all day and boatmen predicted a southeaster tonight. All launches have gone to the inner harbor for safety.

Gets a Share.

UPLAND, Dec. 2.—A gentle rain has fallen here, throughout almost the entire day, and it will prove of vast benefit, this section having had but little of the precipitation which visited the Southland several days ago.

Above the Normal.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 2.—Rain began to fall at an early hour this morning, and continued at intervals throughout the day. The precipitation at sundown amounted to .40 of an inch, which brings the season's total here to 2.75 inches, which is above the normal record.

Rain and Snow.

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 2.—A light rain fell in Bakersfield and vicinity today and the indications promise more tonight and tomorrow. Snow fell in the mountain regions.

Modesto Expectant.

MODESTO, Dec. 2.—Fourteen hundredths of an inch of rain fell in Modesto this afternoon, and a cloudy sky threatens further rain tonight.

Precipitation Figures.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 2.—The following is the table of rainfall for the twenty-four hours, ended at 5 p.m., compared with seasonal rainfall.

Stations—	Past twenty four hours.	Seasonal to date.	Normal to date.
Eureka	....	9.22	10.14
Red Bluff	....	1.81	5.56
Sacramento	.06	1.59	3.81
Mt. Tamalpais	.04	4.51	4.41
San Francisco	.05	2.16	4.29
San Jose	.05	1.44	4.28
Fresno	.24	1.07	4.10
Independence	.12	1.72	2.04
San Luis Obispo	.44	2.60	3.62
Los Angeles	.54	3.17	2.24
San Diego	.02	2.01	1.41

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TWO DIE OF LEPROSY.

Widow of Aged Veteran Falls Victim to Disease in the Receiving Hospital.

Mrs. Isabella C. Wardwell, widow of the late Gen. David Wardwell, a veteran of the Mexican, Civil and innumerable Indian wars, died at the County Hospital, yesterday morning after having suffered for several years with leprosy.

Three hours after her death, Trinidad Ortega, afflicted with the same terrible malady, failed to respond to a call from a physician and an investigation showed that he also had died during the morning.

Mrs. Wardwell's story was a most pathetic one. An outcast from society because of the disease from which she suffered, and in constant fear of detection and isolation, the woman went from one place to another, always with the haunting terror of arrest and detention before her.

To have been separated from her husband would have been worse than the death she knew would soon relieve her of her misery.

Mrs. Wardwell was arrested, June 22 by a patrolman and sent to the Receiving Hospital for examination on an insanity charge. She was immediately sent to the County Hospital and placed in an isolated ward. Her husband who had been an inmate of the Soldiers' Home, watched his chance, spirited the woman from the hospital and boarded an east-bound train of the Southern Pacific road. Two weeks later they were found in a small tent, several miles from Tombstone, Ariz. The woman was sent back to the County Hospital while the old general, deprived of his wife, died of a broken heart.

Ortega was arrested on November 20, three hours after his arrival in Los Angeles, from Mexico. He was sent to the County Hospital. His death had been expected for some time. There is one other leprosy patient at the hospital and he is kept in the isolated ward.

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MUSIC AND THE STAGE.

he Maud Powell Trio, composed of ud Powell, violin; May Mukle, 'cello, Anne Ford, pianist, arrived in Los yesterday.

ast evening Miss Powell and Miss Verne, concert pianist, both of m are great favorites in Southern ifornia, were guests of the Gamut at dinner. Besides the two hon guests, the entire Verne party and May Mukle and Miss Anne Ford other well-known musicians vis in this city were also present.

his evening the Powell Trio opens season in Santa Barbara for the ic Study Club; on Friday evening furnish the programme for the ond event of the Philharmonic rse in Simpson Auditorium. aturday noon Miss Verne and the es of the Powell Trio will be guests a luncheon of the Dominant Club, posed of lady musicians, and at t Miss Powell will be guest of or at the annual dinner of the Cel Club of Southern California.

ext Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock, F. N. Bowers will deliver a lecture ore the Chauvenet Conservatory of ic, No. 345 South Figueroa street, subject being "The Italian School of Sixteenth Century and the Begin g of Opera." These lectures on mu l history and pedagogy, which are n semi-monthly, are very interest and instructive, and are open to public. Previous to the lecture on urday afternoon, a pupils' recital be given by the preparatory de tment.

erris Hartman will have the Gamut b at the Grand in a body Wednes y night. President C. F. Edson has anged for the attendance of the mbers, with their ladies, and seats l be reserved for them in a body. Hartman has agreed to do some g out of the ordinary for the ks" of the club on Christmas eve, the organization will show its reciation in advance by its at dance Wednesday night.

n New Year's eve, Montgomery ncil No. 473, Young Men's Insti , will give a dramatic entertain t and dance in Conaty Hall, corner ney avenue and Daly street, East Angeles. Montgomery Council has n many entertainments in the past, the excellence of their programmes ell known to the people of this city. in this affair they promise to out all their former achievements. The mittee in charge of the affair con s of William J. Hanlon, Thomas P. ite and Urban Emme.

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EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Mooers,
who were married last evening.

COL. SPALDING has been entertaining as house guests a number of attractive young people from this city and Pasadena, on his large sugar plantation in Hawaii. The young folks will return the early part of next month, and immediately preparations for the wedding of Miss Elna Behr, one of the guests, and Rufus P. Spalding, son of the host, will begin. It is evident that an unexpected guest accompanied the party on the merry voyage. His arrows were flying thick and fast. This engagement, which will interest many friends, is formally announced by the parents of the bride-to-be, Dr. and Mrs. Arno Behr of Pasadena. Other guests who enjoyed the visit to the plantation were Mrs. R. J. Senni, daughter of Col. Spalding, and Morgan Adams, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Harvey Adams of No. 3007 South Flower street.

Unconfirmed Society Rumor.

The rumor in high society circles, squares and triangles, that the Lord and Lady Lansdowne had arrived in the city incog and were seen shopping on Broadway last Tuesday, had not been confirmed up to the hour of going to press.

Invitations Out.

Mrs. Mary E. Purcell and Mrs. Edward Clarence Magauran have issued invitations for a reception to be given at their home, No. 853 South Alvarado street, Friday afternoon from 3 until 5 o'clock.

Cheery Tea.

Mrs. Hugh W. Harrison entertained a large number of guests yesterday afternoon at her home, No. 1210 West Twenty-seventh street, with a tea. The home was bright with Christmas berries and potted plants. The hostess was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Willard J. Doran, Mrs. E. A. Featherstone, Mrs. William Johnstone, Mrs. C. C. Carpenter, Miss Clara Carpenter, Mrs. Mott Porter, Mrs. E. P. Clark, Mrs. John Bigelow, Mrs. Melville K. Eshman, Mrs. Richard V. Day, Mrs. Charles McFarland, Mrs. John McFarland, Mrs. William Horace Day, Mrs. Henderson Hayward, Mrs. Randall Hutchinson, Mrs. Erasmus Wilson, Mrs. Thomas O'Reiley, Mrs. Godfrey Stamm, Mrs. Charles Rivers Drake, Mrs. John Kingsley Macomber, Jr., Mrs. Richard Bronson and Mrs. H. M. Bishop.

Interesting Wedding.

Miss Jane Josephine Golden, daughter of Mrs. Martin Joseph Golden, of No. 647 West Twenty-eighth street, was married last evening at the home of her mother, to Kimball Carter Mooers of Richmond, Va. Miss Golden, who is a young woman of unusual beauty, was attired in an empire gown of white satin messaline and Duchesse lace. With this she carried a shower of lilies of the valley and bride roses. Miss Mary Cunningham, a cousin, in a gown of pink messaline, assisted as maid of honor, and the two maids were Miss Winifred Golden and Miss Rose Cunningham, who were attired in pale blue messaline and corn-colored messaline, made empire with arm bouquets of long-stemmed chrysanthemums. George Stoney assisted as best man, and Father G. J. George read the service. The home was gay with roses and chrysanthemums which were combined with Virginia creeper sent by friends from Alabama. At the conclusion of a two weeks' trip Mr. and Mrs. Moore will return to this city where they will receive their friends at No. 3034 Foster street, after January 1. In June they will leave for Virginia, where they will live. A unique feature at the close of the ceremony was the sending of the bride's bouquet to the groom's mother, Mrs. Otis M. Mooers, in Richmond.

Cupid Again.

At the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Gilleas of Hollywood, Miss Blanche Gilleas became the bride last evening of Frank Henry Jones. Miss Gilleas wore a handsome empire creation of princess lace and carried white flowers. Rev. Dr. R. J. Cotter performed the ceremony, under a bower of blooms. In the living-room white chrysanthemums were attractively arranged, while hanging baskets filled with pink rosebuds livened the dining-room. Red carnations glowed in the music-room and American beauties were banked in the hall. At the conclusion of a trip to New York, Mr. and Mrs. Jones will reside in Jackson, Miss.

Has Returned.

Mrs. Frances Gephard has returned to the city and will occupy her cottage at No. 1712 South Figueroa street, during the winter months.

Miss Macneil Honored.

Complimentary to his young niece, Miss Marian Macneil, daughter of Mrs. Hugh Livingston Macneil of South Figueroa street, James Slauson entertained with a fashionable supper dance at the Woman's Clubhouse last evening. Music for the dancing was furnished by Arend, who rendered a special programme in honor of the occasion.

Card Matinee.

Mrs. A. K. Brauer of No. 2129 West Twenty-third street was hostess yesterday afternoon at an enjoyable card matinee. Score cards bore hand-painted sketches of violets.

Recovering Health.

Miss Claire Holgate of No. 617 West Seventh street, who was in an accident recently at Long Beach, is rapidly recovering.

Dancing Party.

Members of the J. C. Club gave an informal dancing party Friday evening at College Tract Hall on Gramercy Place. The young guests were chaperoned by Mr. and Mrs. Parle, Mrs. Fay and Mrs. Wilson. For the occasion the hall was decked with greenery and cut flowers. Club pennants also added to the attractiveness of the scene.

The Count and the Congressman.

By Mrs. Burton Harrison.

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CHAPTER III—(Continued.)

"Perhaps not," he said, lightly. "But in our country, we are accustomed to take things more tranquilly than in yours. Married people live together in what you might call humdrum fashion, and whether or not they are congenial at the start, gradually get resigned to the yoke that binds them."

"As if one could ever 'get resigned!'" she cried, with a gesture of repulsion. "But there, that is enough of a tiresome subject. If it isn't rude, will you let me ask how you come to speak English as well—oh! really better than I do?"

Stelvio laughed.

"Simply because my tutor during many years of boyhood was a highly educated English monk who had taken up his abode in Italy, and preferred it to any spot on earth."

"That accounts for your beautiful pure enunciation of his tongue. How it makes one lament the slipshod speech of so many young men in our own country! I remember when I met you at Chevy Chase, I had just been talking to an American university graduate, a young millionaire who answered 'Yes,' for yes, and 'guessed' at every other word. When I made a remark that he agreed with, he said 'That's right;' or 'Sure!' The contrast with your—a foreigner's English—struck me tremendously at the time."

"Perhaps if I had had his millions—and his bringing up, I might have erred likewise," said Stelvio, smiling. "Still, I am flattered that you were even so far impressed by me. When I bounded down upon you the other day in Villa d'Este gardens, I was so surprised as to be rude, I fear."

"Not rude, but I thought you might pass stopped to speak a word of greeting."

"Miss Methuen must remember that, with us, a man does not approach a young lady of his world when she is without a chaperon. The honest truth is that I almost believed you to be a vision. I was startled, may I say confused—because—"

"Well, we are on American territory as Countess Fleury's; please go on. Why was I such a bogy to frighten you away?"

"Because I had but a moment before been thinking of your face, and wishing again to see it."

Margot blushed vividly. She could not believe her ears. But there were Stelvio's honest eyes looking full into hers. She found no room to doubt him.

"You were thinking of me! How very extraordinary!"

"And when you lifted that curtain and stepped inside the grocer's shop—still alone, so that I had no excuse to recall myself to you, there was nothing for me but flight. After that, how tantalizing that I should see you in a boat so near mine on the lake! We might have easily exchanged speech, save that I did not know the lady who accompanied you. And when the Comtessa's little note came telling me you were to be of her party at tea in the Temple of Friendship today, can you imagine a more cruel blow than that my lawyer from Milan should have selected this afternoon to arrive for an 'important discussion' of business affairs? Until we had thoroughly threshed out the subject he came upon, I could by no means get rid of him. I was as eager as a schoolboy, and, I am afraid, treated the old fellow to more than a glimpse of my impatience. Especially as I [illegible] quence or to make up my mind to sell myself for thirty pieces of silver. But we won't talk about that. It is sufficient that I have met you again; that here there is no unpleasantly self-assertive Congressman to come between us and whisk you off to have strawberries and cream——"

She uttered a little cry of pleasure like a child's. "You even remember that?"

"How should I forget it? If I told you that the circumstance had colored my estimate of a certain proposal submitted to me by my excellent friend from Milan this very day——?"

A light broke upon Margot. She felt certain that it was McPhail's desire at all costs to possess the Stelvio Biberon that had inspired the visit in question. A great disgust came over her. She wanted to protect Stelvio against she knew not what.

"If you noticed so much at Chevy Chase, perhaps you will also recall that I was angry, ill-mannered; that the interruption you speak of was an annoyance," she stammered.

"Of course it was," responded Stelvio, cheerfully. "The man was not fit to carry you away. No more than he seems to me fit to own something of mine to be doing his best to bargain for. But let us not speak of him again. This is the hour for noble, inspiring thoughts, and who knows how soon again I may have the privilege of your companionship unbroken——"

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Anty Drudge—"Why don't you use Fels-Naptha? Then you won't have to use hot water. You will get through with your wash in a jiffy and there'll be no steam to make your rooms offensive."

To women who live in apartments the washing of clothes is a problem. The solution is Fels-Naptha soap.

No need of hot water; no boiler, no washboard. For light washing you don't even need a washtub, because the bathtub or basin will do quite well.

All you require is Fels-Naptha, cool or lukewarm water and a place to dry the clothes.

Say you have a shirtwaist or two, napkins, lingerie and other small things, that you don't have time or don't want to send out to be washed. You can do much better at home in this way:

Wet the clothes, soap well with Fels-Naptha, roll and leave to soak in cool or lukewarm water for a short time. Then rub lightly, rinse and hang up to dry.

Takes but one-fourth the time and one-tenth the work of the old way. Also saves the clothes.

Follow directions on the red and green wrapper.

The Value

of rest is not always appreciated and often ridiculed, as in the "Sons of Rest," but later day writers are inclined to dwell upon the importance of rest as a part of the daily routine. "Take a half hour after luncheon and close your eyes, and don't do a thing but think."

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The Thin Santa Claus
By Ellis Parker Butler
Why Mrs. Gratz was awakened on Christmas morning by a great silence; why she didn't like a "taking-away" Santa Claus; why the tooberchlosis bugs freeze up in the winter and get brittle and bust into a thousand pieces—all is told in the drollest Christmas story published in years: a story in which the author of PIGS IS PIGS proves that sometimes chickens is chickens.

The Triple Cross
By George Randolph Chester
One of the best stories that Mr. Chester ever wrote. It tells how Get-Rich-Quick Wallingford made his first visit to New York, and how peevish he became over the coarse and unimaginative methods of New York's confidence men and green-goods brokers.

"Pardon, You Are Mademoiselle Girard!"
By Leonard Merrick
All Paris was hunting for Mademoiselle Girard. On the boulevards, in the cafés and shops, was heard on all sides, "Pardon, you are Mademoiselle Girard?" Young men resigned promising occupations to engage in the search. No lady, comely or uncomely, providing she was young, was free from the accusing, "Pardon, you are Mademoiselle Girard!" Who found Mademoiselle Girard is disclosed in one of the most interesting stories of the year.

The Pedigree Hunters
By E. L. Bacon
To meet Catharine the Great in the Subway, or to see Henry the Eighth, with a wooden leg, begging alms on lower Broadway, is not so amazing when you reflect that in America there must be tens of thousands descendants of kings of that period and earlier. Some astonishing stories connected with the search for ancestors are revealed in this article.

The Sleeping Column
By Brand Whitlock
In the Sleeping Column the Mayor of Toledo tells a remarkable story of a Southern boy, who was not a spy, yet served in both the Union and Confederate armies, and was personally mentioned by the two leading generals of the opposing forces.

A Tug and a Daughter-in-Law
By Ernest Poole
A story "of ropes and things, and ships upon the seas." Also of a young waterman ashamed of his job and his dad; a nice girl ashamed of the boy, and a wise old tug-boat captain wholly shameless in his efforts to make a man of his son and a daughter-in-law of the nice girl. A Christmas story of a spot in Greater New York where the hive-dwellers have neighbors.

What Happens at Rehearsals
By Channing Pollock
The astonishing trivial incidents that make or break a play are more numerous than the holder of a parquet seat dreams of. In this article you are taken behind the scenes and shown all the intimate and interesting secrets that never get over the footlights.

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Devout Hearers Face Rain to Hear Torrey.

When Whistling May Be as Good as Praying.

Sponging Tourists Write of Missionary Ease.

The ardor of people who wanted to hear Dr. Torrey talk on the subject of "How to Receive the Baptism of Holy Spirit," was not dampened by the rain yesterday. Though the audience that assembled at the tabernacle was very small as compared with other days, nevertheless there were from 1000 to 1200 persons there.

"Somebody told me," said Dr. Torrey, "that we couldn't do anything in Los Angeles on a rainy day, but you are here. On a rainy day we always get a select audience of hungry people."

Dr. Torrey does not hold the doctrine that once baptized with the Holy Spirit, a man becomes infallible, but, like the apostles of old, he must be filled again and again.

"I was distinctly baptized with the Spirit in Minneapolis, but I know full well that I must be filled anew on each occasion when I get up to speak," he said.

"I can tell you what to do just now, and can guarantee if you do it, you will be filled with the Holy Spirit. That's very positive, but this book is just as positive as that."

He read as his text Acts II:38: "Then Peter said unto them, Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost."

"Repentance is a change of mind. Our churches are full of people who accept Christ as their Lord, but they have never accepted Him as their Savior," said Dr. Torrey.

He declared that many people depend upon going to church, living a clean life, and dealing fairly with all men, for their salvation, but that none of these things will ever save them. Others, he said, like the Seventh Day Baptists, depend upon the Mosaic law, but that the secret of salvation is the choice between sin and the Holy Ghost. Continuing, he said:

NO SMALL SIN.

"Some people pray for the baptism of the Holy Spirit, but they might just as well whistle. The trouble is sin. You may call it a small thing that stands in your way, but there is no such thing as a small sin, and whatever the thing is, you must put it away."

He told of a preacher who once heard him say this, and after the meeting waited for him and said:

"Say, you hit me pretty hard today," which Dr. Torrey replied:

"That's what I'm here for," and the preacher confessed that there was something in his life that always came before him when he asked to be endowed with the Holy Spirit.

Dr. Torrey read a letter received from a church member, living a long distance from the city, in which it is related that the pastor of the church to which she belonged had gone to Los Angeles to hear the evangelist and had returned home a transformed preacher.

"The baptism of the Holy Spirit," Dr. Torrey said, "is not for a secret society. It is for the openly-confessed follower of Jesus Christ.

"You may read books on the Holy Spirit, lay on your face all night, pray as much as you will, roll on the floor, but it won't do you any good until you put everything away that hinders you.

"I have known people to go into the foreign mission field, and take up the hardships of that work, and yet stop short of an absolute surrender to God." Dr. Torrey referred to stories he has read of the life of ease led by the missionaries, and said the romance is all in the book.

"These stories are written by people who go on a tour of foreign countries and sponge off the missionaries, who live together everything they have to make their guests comfortable and then live for months in indescribable hardship to make up for it after their guests are gone. Then they come home and write books about the life of ease led by a foreign missionary," said Dr. Torrey.

Getting back to the subject of absolute surrender to the will of God, the evangelist said that people are too apt to think that something hard will be required of them. He illustrated by telling his own little daughter, Margaret, dying into his arms when he was back to Chicago, and saying:

"Papa, I'm so glad that you've come home, for I want to make this the happiest day of my life; what shall I do?"

Then I'd sit down and say to her mother: 'Clara, what are all the things Margaret dislikes to do?' and I'd write them down for her. Do you think I'd do that? No; I'd try to make the brightest day in her life. That's just what God will do for you—everything possible to make your life all happiness and sunshine."

CHURCH AUDIENCE.

Another rainy-weather audience greeted Dr. Torrey last night. It was a few hundreds larger than in the afternoon, but still only half as large as the smallest audience that has gathered at the tabernacle any evening since the opening of the mission. Like the audience of the afternoon, those who occupied the seats were of the "every" kind—almost exclusively church members.

Dr. Torrey described in graphic detail the burning of the building of the Minneapolis Tribune, a few years ago, in which so many lives were lost, and told the heroism of the Associated Press representative, who remained on the roof, sending out news of the fire, after he was unable to save himself. He described the man as he stood on the stone lintel of the window and then tried to save himself by going hand-over-hand along a wire that stretched across to another building, until he finally lost his grip and fell to his death on the stone pavement.

At the close of the meeting a young man went to the platform and introduced himself to Dr. Torrey, saying that he was in the burning building and had witnessed the death of the telegraph operator, as described.

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RELIGIOUS.

STORMY DAY DETERS NOT.

Devout Hearers Face Rain to Hear Torrey.

When Whistling May Be as Good as Praying.

Sponging Tourists Write of Missionary Ease.

The order of people who wanted to hear Dr. Torrey talk on the subject of "How to Receive the Baptism of Holy Spirit," was not dampened with the rain yesterday. Though the audience that assembled at the tabernacle was very small as compared with other days, nevertheless there were from 1000 to 1200 persons there.

"Somebody told me," said Dr. Torrey, "that we couldn't do anything in Los Angeles on a rainy day, but we are here. On a rainy day we always get a select audience of hungry people."

Dr. Torrey does not hold the doctrine that once baptized with the Holy Spirit, a man becomes infallible, but, like the apostles of old, he must be filled again and again.

"I was distinctly baptized with the Spirit in Minneapolis, but I know full well that I must be filled anew on each occasion when I get up to speak," he said.

"I can tell you what to do just now, and can guarantee if you do it, you will be filled with the Holy Spirit. That's very positive, but this book is just as positive as that."

He read as his text Acts ii:38: "Then Peter said unto them, Repent and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost."

"Repentance is a change of mind. Our churches are full of people who accept Christ as their Lord, but they have never accepted Him as their Saviour," said Dr. Torrey.

He declared that many people depend upon going to church, living a good life, and dealing fairly with all men, for their salvation, but that none of these things will ever save them. Others, he said, like the Seventh Day Baptists, depend upon the Mosaic law, but that the secret of salvation is the choice between sin and the Holy Ghost. Continuing, he said:

NO SMALL SIN.

"Some people pray for the baptism of the Holy Spirit, but they might just as well whistle. The trouble is sin. You may call it a small thing that stands in your way, but there is no such thing as a small sin, and whatever the thing is, you must put it away."

He told of a preacher who once heard him say this, and after the meeting waited for him and said:

"Say, you hit me pretty hard today," to which Dr. Torrey replied:

"That's what I'm here for," and the preacher confessed that there was something in his life that always came up before him when he asked to be endowed with the Holy Spirit.

Dr. Torrey read a letter received from a church member, living a long distance from the city, in which it was related that the pastor of the church to which she belonged had come to Los Angeles to hear the evangelist and had returned home a transformed preacher.

"The baptism of the Holy Spirit," Dr. Torrey said, "is not for a secret society. It is for the openly-confessed follower of Jesus Christ.

"You may read books on the Holy Spirit, lay on your face all night, pray as much as you will, roll on the floor, but it won't do you any good until you put everything away that hinders you.

"I have known people to go into the foreign mission field, and take up the duties of that work, and yet stop short of an absolute surrender to God." Dr. Torrey referred to stories he has read of the life of ease led by the missionaries, and said the romance is all in the book.

"Some stories are written by people who go on a tour of foreign countries to sponge off the missionaries, who make together everything they have to make their guests comfortable and live free for months in indescribable squalor to make up for it after their guests are gone. Then they come home and write books about the life of ease led by a foreign missionary," said Dr. Torrey.

Getting back to the subject of absolute surrender to the will of God, the evangelist said that people are too apt to think that something hard will be required of them. He illustrated by relating his own little daughter, flying into his arms when he came back to Chicago, and saying:

"Papa, I'm so glad that you've come home, that I want to make this the happy day of my life; what shall I do?

"Then I'd sit down and say to her mother, 'Clara, what are all the things Margaret dislikes to do?' and I'd write them down for her. Do you think I'd do that? No; I'd try to make it the happiest day in her life. That's what God will do for you—everything possible to make your life all happiness and sunshine."

CHURCH AUDIENCE.

Another rainy-weather audience heard Dr. Torrey last night. It was two hundreds larger than in the afternoon, but still only half as large as the smallest audience that has gathered at the tabernacle any evening since the opening of the mission. Like the audience of the afternoon, those who occupied the seats were of the "every" kind—almost exclusively church members.

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THEATER PARTY.

"BEN-HUR" CONTEST BY YOUNG WRITERS.

An essay on "Ben Hur" in 150 words or less—this is the pleasurable task in composition with which hundreds of Los Angeles school children are busying themselves this week. The experiment is proving a stimulus to literary possibilities.

The Times will give a Christmas theater party to the 200 school boys and school girls who write the best essays about Lew Wallace's great story. They are to attend the opening of the play of "Ben Hur" at the Mason Operahouse on the evening of December 14.

The conditions of the contest are these: The essays submitted must contain not more than 150 words. They must be written, without assistance, by pupils of Los Angeles schools, public or private, in any grade. They must be sent in to The Times before December 9. Each manuscript must bear the name and address of the writer, and the name of his or her school.

Seven well-known Los Angeles educators will be the judges in the contest. These seven teachers, and the 200 prize winners, will have the best seats in the Mason Operahouse on the evening of December 14, the pupils sitting in 32 seats, the teachers in the boxes.

The following men and women are on the committee which is to decide on the merits of the essays: Principal W. H. Houch of the Los Angeles High School; Miss Gertrude Henderson, head of department of English, Los Angeles High School; J. H. Francis, principal of Polytechnic High School; Miss Ethel McGee, acting head of English department, Polytechnic High School; E. J. Lickley, head of truant schools; Sister Aquinas, of the Franciscan Sisters' School; Miss Hope Traver of Huntington Hall.

As soon as the awards have been made tickets will be furnished the 200 prize winners. Address essays to Ben Hur Contest Editor, The Times, Los Angeles.

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Under the auspices of the Committee on Pictures for Libraries, of which Miss Anna M. Beckley, head of the reference department of the Los Angeles Public Library, is chairman, a remarkable pamphlet has just been issued. It is a guide to libraries throughout California, for an intelligent and efficient selection of photographic reproductions of works of art essential to every community.

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Miss Anna M. Beckley

of the Los Angeles public library, who has just compiled a valuable reference book for California libraries.

After several months of painstaking preparation an annotated list of 500 of the best-known examples of architecture, sculpture, and paintings, ancient and modern, has just been completed, and issued in pamphlet form. Yesterday 400 copies were sent to Sacramento to be scattered through the northern libraries, and 600 are ready for distribution in Southern California.

Suburban and country libraries will greet this unique publication as one that fills a great void in the enlarged activities of public libraries. Heretofore it has not been possible to form, even gradually, a collection of photographic reproductions of the most essential examples of art, for want of a reliable list as a guide.

In this pamphlet, which is remarkably free from errors, the name of the artist is first given, with that of the painting or sculpture following, annotations of the best authorities accompanying each subject, describing and qualifying it. A valuable index completes this little book.

The Los Angeles Library has been one of the first to recognize the great importance of the picture as an educational necessity. Over 7000 prints now form the art section of this library and they may be drawn just as a book is drawn for reference. A rare collection of oriental prints has just been added to the collection, and eleven valuable Medici pictures in colors, have also been received.

In architecture the library offers a liberal education and the architectural prints are arranged chronologically, so that an entire history of the development of building in the world is shown.

The president of the California Library Association, James L. Gillis, recognizing the lead that Los Angeles has taken in the picture extension work, appointed a committee last summer to work on the list, with Miss Beckley as chairman. Mary M. Bevans of Los Angeles, Hannah P. Davidson, Ethelwyn H. Fagge, Anna Hadden, Elfie A. Mosse and Amy L. Phelan compose the committee.

BALLOONS GOOD TARGETS.

BERLIN, Dec. 2.—Experiments that have been going on here for some time have shown that it is almost impossible for dirigible balloons to escape from the fire of field pieces and rifles on the ground by going to high altitudes. The greatest height the airships can attain successfully and safely still leaves them within range of the special cannon for shooting at balloons with which the experiments are made.

CHEAP POSTAGE TO GERMANY.

BERLIN, Dec. 2.—The United States and Germany have arranged for a postal rate on letters between the two countries of 2 cents, instead of the present rate of 5 cents. The new rates will go into effect on January 1.

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RAILROAD RECORD.

EXTENSION ON TO YAQUI LAND.

SHORT LINE OUT OF EL PASO GETS CONCESSION.

Actual Construction to Start on Rio Grande, Sierra Madre and Pacific as Soon as President Is Back from Mexico City—Route Was Formerly a Greene Property.

According to information received in Los Angeles, the Mexican government has granted the concessions for the extension of the Rio Grande, Sierra Madre and Pacific Railroad, from its present terminus at Nueva Casas Grandes, 160 miles southwest of El Paso, in the State of Chihuahua, southwest to the Yaqui River, where it will connect with the Cananea, Yaqui River and Pacific line and also with Madera, the Greene lumber town, west of Chihuahua city.

By the completion of this line there will be established immediately direct railroad communication between northern Chihuahua and Sonora, through to the Pacific Coast, without going outside of the republic. H. R. Nickerson, president of the company, formerly general manager of the Mexican Central, is in Mexico City in connection with the concession, and as soon as he can set the machinery in motion, actual construction will start. Surveys were made a year ago.

The present railroad is a "jerk water" concern built years ago by eastern capitalists who intended to run it through to the Pacific Coast. For some reason they did not, and for years it ran a mixed freight and passenger train three times a week. It reaches some good mining and cattle country and tapped part of the region where the Mormon colonies are located.

When Col. W. C. Greene started his lumber and other enterprises after quitting active management at Cananea he acquired this road and planned an extension to the Yaqui River. It has always been hinted in the papers that Harriman was back of the enterprise, but this, Col. Greene denied. The extension was planned eighteen months ago, and temporarily abandoned on account of the money stringency. Now the road has gone the way of the other Greene interests and passed into other hands, it is understood. Harriman may or may not have the control.

Superintendent Burkhalter Dead.

David Burkhalter, superintendent of the Sacramento division of the Southern Pacific, and until sixteen months ago superintendent of the San Joaquin division at Bakersfield, is dead in the Southern Pacific Hospital at Sacramento. He was close to 70 years, the age of retirement from active service, and a veteran of thirty years' railroading with the company, having worked his way up from brakeman.

Los Angeles-Pacific Offices.

The Los Angeles Pacific has leased the entire Masonic Temple building on Hill street, just south of the company's depot and is remodeling it for its general offices, which were burned out in the Knox building on Fourth street. The change places the railroad's business, except the ticket for the Hollywood cars, together, and that will be moved to the depot as soon as the tunnel is completed.

Bakersfield Roundhouse.

The Santa Fé roundhouse at Bakersfield, according to Agent Hudson, will be ready for occupancy, February 1. The equipment is being installed, and piping put in. A blacksmith and small repair shop is being built and the five machines which are to be used in the carpenter shops are to be installed. No credence is given the report that construction is to begin at once on the new machine shops.

Service to Annandale.

The Pacific Electric will inaugurate a through service within the next two or three days from Sixth and Main streets to the Annandale Golf Club. Cars will be run every thirty minutes from 6:30 a.m. to 6:25 p.m. Connection will be made with certain cars for South Pasadena at Avenue 64.

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GREENE DOWN AND OUT.

(Continued From First Page.)

to some extent. He was in New York, attending to raising funds, and was obliged to leave the disbursement largely to subordinates. They appear to act as if they had an absolutely inexhaustible supply to draw upon. Among other things, a hospital was built at Madera, larger than could possibly be required within many years, even with operations at the full limit anticipated by the most sanguine. Bills for various supplies were contracted and left unpaid in Chihuahua and El Paso, and it was common talk that the same conditions prevailed elsewhere.

After several months' absence, Col. Greene reached Chihuahua, and hurried out to Madera. Within twenty-four hours there was "something doing," and E. C. Hargreaves, general manager, and three of his principal subordinates resigned by request. One of these was a relative of Hargreaves. Stories were told of the wild life led by one of the officials dismissed. Gambling, horse racing and "wine, women and song" were among the allegations.

Among other extravagances were the attempts to establish newspapers with costly plants in Madera, the lumber town, and in Conchefio, the headquarters of some of the mining enterprises. Large sums of money were spent in this way.

For months before the crash came, it was fully expected by well-informed persons in Chihuahua and El Paso, the nearest cities to the scene of operations.

EL PASO HOLDING SOLD.

The Federal Smelter in El Paso, owned by Col. Greene, and planned by him as one of the units of his Mexican mining undertakings, was sold at auction yesterday at Sheriff's sale. This is the first piece of Greene property to go under the hammer since the general shut-down of the Greene properties in Mexico several months ago, when the laborers rioted for their pay and Mexican troops were called out. The troops are still in control of the properties. The smelter was sold to satisfy a claim of the National Dry-kiln Company of Indianapolis, and was bought in by that company for $26,000. Several other suits are pending in this city against Col. Greene.

TOO STORMY FOR BABIES.

The baby show which was to have been held yesterday at the Made in Southern California Exposition was postponed on account of the rain until tomorrow at 1 o'clock. An effort was made to get word to all the parents who had arranged to have their babies take part in the show, but a number of women braved the storm, only to be disappointed upon arriving at the exposition.

INDIANS ELOPE IN AUTO.

Carlisle Youth Carries Off Pretty Cherokee Maiden and They Quietly Wed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CARLISLE (Pa.) Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A romance ended in an elopement last evening, when Miss Lystsa Wahoo, a Cherokee Indian maiden from North Carolina, ran away with Joseph Twin, an Indian ball player, who has been out of the Carlisle school for several years.

The attachment between the couple grew when they were fellow-students at Carlisle. The dusky wooer finally proposed to Miss Wahoo, but when the young woman communicated with her parents they were disposed to defer the marriage.

The youth visited the Carlisle school as a returned graduate and prevailed upon her to flee. Last evening Miss Wahoo crept stealthily from the girls' quarters, and met Twin, who had engaged an automobile and who was lying in wait just outside the school grounds. The machine whizzed around a corner, and the couple had eloped. Telegrams were sent in every direction by the Chief of Police, but no word of their whereabouts has been received.

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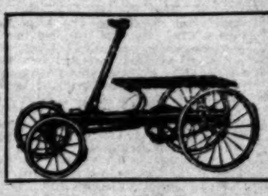

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RATES UNJUST TO THIS CITY.

How San Francisco Gets a Wrong Advantage.

Los Angeles Jobbers Must Equalize Freight.

Northern Metropolis Seems to Dictate All.

The fight which the jobbers of Los Angeles are making to secure an equalization of freight rates with San Francisco to points in the San Joaquin Valley is actively pushed, and a favorable outcome is anticipated. The western classification contains 5400 items, of which 3500 take two different figures, made by exactions of classification as to the manner in which such commodities are shipped. These 3500 items the Los Angeles jobbers handle in the San Joaquin Valley at a disadvantage, for the reason that they are forced to absorb the difference between Los Angeles and San Francisco rates.

September 27, 1905, the Santa Fé and Southern Pacific did issue a tariff effective that date, which was entirely satisfactory to the Los Angeles jobbers. This was put into effect and shipments made under it for one day, when it was discontinued on protest of San Francisco merchants. At that time it is said the high officials of the railroads were in the East and the protest was wired them from San Francisco and they telegraphed instructions to withdraw the tariff.

The San Fransico jobbers claimed they only wished its withdrawal for time to look into it.

AGREEMENT NOT KEPT.

A short time after this action, the railroad officials met with a committee from Los Angeles, and one of them, claiming to act for both companies, with authority, stated that the tariff with a few minor modifications, would be restored immediately. The San Francisco merchants had no further relations with the railroads and the agreement was not kept. The matter was postponed from time to time until May, 1906, when a conference was suggested between the merchants of Los Angeles and San Francisco with a view to adjusting the matter. The jobbers of this city felt that this suggestion was a tacit admission that a few favored merchants of San Francisco and not the railroad officials, were making the rates. The railroads then refused to make good their agreement until the Los Angeles jobbers satisfied the San Francisco merchants.

Here the matter stands. The jobbers have hopes of ultimately winning out and claim that they have a club which, if they wished to use it, would force the roads to keep their promise. They claim, however, to be friendly to the railroads.

As an example of the rate injustice, in talking with San Francisco merchants, it is asserted no commercial argument was advanced why Fresno should have a better rate than Los Angeles, but the argument that San Francisco merchants in order to compete with Los Angeles must have advantages in rates, also that the cost of operating was greater from Los Angeles to the San Joaquin Valley than from San Francisco, and for this reason the roads should charge higher rates. There are in fact, many reasons why Los Angeles is entitled to better rates than San Francisco, but it does not ask this, but merely that the rates be equalized. The jobbers claim to be more than able to compete with San Francisco on even terms.

Here is an illustration of the disadvantage under which Los Angeles merchants are laboring in the San Joaquin Valley. Rates to a point 168 miles south of San Francisco show a considerable difference compared with those to a point the same distance north of Los Angeles. Rates to such a point on first, second, third and fourth class rates, subject to the western classification, which includes all miscellaneous freight, are as follows:

Los Angeles, per hundred weight; first class, .71; second class, .61; third class, .54; fourth class, .51. San Francisco: first class, .43; second class, .33; third class, .24; fourth class, .22.

Fresno, 196 miles south of San Francisco, takes the following rate from that city: First class, .56; second, .51; third, .47; fourth, .47; while from Los Angeles, 276 miles, the same class takes, .80, .77, .73 and .62. From a distance 196 miles from Los Angeles, the same distance as Fresno from Frisco, the rates are: .74, .70, .66 and .51, which gives the San Francisco shipper a great advantage. The San Joaquin Valley merchants are vitally interested in this fight, for the reason that at the present rates the railroads practically say they must buy their supplies in San Francisco, which, they claim, is the only construction to be placed upon the language of the tariff. If it were not for the energetic jobbers of Los Angeles absorbing the difference they would be at the mercy of the San Francisco merchants. The railroads should consider, so argue the jobbers here, that to Los Angeles is due the development of the fruit and ranch and oil industries of the San Joaquin Valley, and therefore the city is entitled to an equal rate with San Francisco.

THE BIGGEST FIGURE IN AMERICAN MUSIC.

By Julian Johnson.

[STAFF CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 23.—Oscar Hammerstein is easily the biggest figure in American music.

He is that because he has carried successfully a burden which no other man has yet been able to bear, even with abundant help, and, having done so, he has now assumed another responsibility equally large.

If you have ever seen a picture of Hammerstein you have seen Hammerstein as he looked last year, as he looks this year, as he will probably look next year.

Hammerstein and the notable Hammersteinian clothes are perennial. There's a line in George Cohan's new show, "The American Idea," which avers that "there's no sight in Paris like Hammerstein's hat"—which is doubtless very true, for this historic headgear is as unlike any chapeau of the boulevard as it is dissimilar from anything that can be found on Broadway from Wall out beyond the last theater.

If Samson's strength lay in his hair, Hammerstein's managerial wizardry is due to the spell of the wonderful bonnet, and the secret of its manufacture. It is an enormous silk "tile," very broad, very high, and with a rim that would serve as a lamp shade.

After you watch the workings of the two operahouses here for a while you feel that the fierce white light which beats upon a throne will, if observed carefully enough, disclose a good deal of tinsel and gilt paper.

The pomp of kings hovers about the Metropolitan, and to obtain audience with the royal persons is a matter of solemnity, patience—and good luck.

At the Manhattan, however, were not O. H. so well known he might frequently be mistaken for his own office man, for he commingles perpetually in the most democratic style.

Any one with legitimate business may enter the office of the Manhattan Operahouse, and to one acquainted with the Metropolitan labyrinth this "office" seems a joke, for it is nothing more than a mere passageway, a little narrow alley left running along the wall behind the box office, and extending to the side of the auditorium. A telephone exchange comes perilously near blocking the entrance, then the deep-piled desk of W. J. Guard, Hammerstein's general press representative, then a pair or a trio of stenographers, then another step up into a private office whose door is perpetually open, and whose desk is usually occupied by Willy Hammerstein—and there you have the end.

Of course there are other apartments in the big theater where business is transacted, but these are the offices, and are known as such.

Here are controlled two tremendous operatic institutions, the Philadelphia and New York houses of Mr. Hammerstein, employing two immense individual companies, with salaries aggregating scores of thousands each month, and with a very cheerful promise of an all-winter continuance.

Willy Hammerstein has a stenographer, and Mr. Guard is sometimes allowed to dictate to one, but I have never seen Hammerstein himself even speak to one.

In fact, I don't know whether Hammerstein even has a desk exclusively his own. I have seen him sitting at Willy's place, figuring on a scratch pad, but more often have I beheld him perched on the top of an old-fashioned office stool jotting a note or two now and then on a crumpled envelope or a fragment of a letter, lost in thought.

There is a little door opening into the box-office, and another little door leading to the auditorium. Both of these have been carefully proportioned to the hat, and at intervals, at all hours, the hat is seen to insert itself, with Hammerstein carefully following.

Of, if the "office" is too cumbered with human rubbish, the impresario chooses a far corner of his lobby, away from the ticket-speculatorial line, and there paces, his hands behind his back, open to the grievance of a persecuted chorus woman, the purposeful flattery of a great prima-donna, or even the pestiferous annoyance of a deadhead.

In fact, New Yorkers have got so used to seeing Hammerstein about his lobby that when he is not visible, somewhere, they fear there will be no performance.

If Gatti-Casazza or Dippel were seen in the Metropolitan lobby the whole White Way would rush in for an astonished look.

The two managers at the house just mentioned have their box in the Grand Tier—pardon a moment while I get my announcements—yes, here it is: No. 48, carefully catalogued just one page ahead of the programme.

Hammerstein also has a box, but it is not catalogued. It consists of a little v-shaped alcove near the proscenium arch, barely out of the way of the electricians and also just escaping the scene-shifter. The stage manager has thoughtfully provided an old kitchen chair, and here, during productions that interest him, Hammerstein sits for acts at a time, the hat pushed back a little, the chair tilted forward on its sturdy forelegs, as the occupant rests his elbows on his knees.

I don't know where Hammerstein lived before this operahouse was built, but not so very long ago, while father was out of the city, Willy Hammerstein and several others about the place got him a bed, a bureau, a rug, several articles of furniture, and when he returned he found an entire apartment awaiting him just above stairs.

He was so pleased over this little kindness that he wept, and he clings to his tiny operatic flat with a home fervor that is almost pathetic. He wouldn't have a happy minute in the swellest apartment on Riverside Drive.

If you judge Hammerstein by his pictures, you make him out a big, burly fellow, commanding in manner, resonant in voice. All of which he is not.

In speech he is more than retiring. He is almost apologetic. His English has far less German tincture than the funny papers asseverate, but on the whole he is a man who speaks little. Actions are his words.

He is considerably below medium stature, but he is broad of shoulder and thick of chest. He always walks slowly, and usually with bent head, as a man in earnest inner consultation. I spoke to him a short while this morning about operatic undertakings in general, and in particular concerning his eventual visit to the Pacific Coast.

"Don't you tease me! Don't you tease me!" he exclaimed, waving away an imaginary allurement with his hand. "I know just what you people are out there, and you don't know how many times I have figured this thing in my mind. I want to come just as much as any one else may want me—but I can't, this year. I have the Manhattan"—holding up two pudgy fingers—"and Philadelphia. Twenty weeks each. Sufficient!"

All New York except the totem element has been laughing the past week over Hammerstein's sly but uproarious joke on the plasterer's union, which was diabolically nasty to the poor obsessed impresario.

"I wish you'd tell me," I ventured, "just how you fixed the plasterers so nicely."

Hammerstein chuckled clear down into his capacious collar, and then sobered as suddenly as a playful kitten upon whom water has been thrown.

"I never tell my own chokes!" he exclaimed, and with a Weberfieldian gesture he ambled away.

It seems that the only union having an excuse for a hold-up on the new Philadelphia Operahouse was the plasterers' bunch. I've observed that in this part of the country the unions boldly hold up wherever they can, taking, as a usual thing, builders who for business reasons are in a great hurry. Hammerstein was in a hurry, and they stung him in proper shape.

He dismissed his plasterers, who were merely finishing the work, anyway, and sent over a new gang from New York. Only part of the gang arrived, and the manager sent more, and more, only to discover that the union agents were meeting these men at the station, and were giving them return fare and a fairly ample bonus to come back to New York.

Hammerstein said nothing, but about ten days later there was a union row in Philadelphia, and when the dust cleared away, the outsiders were able to discern that the plasterers' union was busted. There was an official totem investigation as to the whereabouts of the funds, and it was discovered that these trouble zealots had given prize money and return tickets to almost a thousand "plasterers," bound for the Philadelphia Operahouse. A little further investigation brought out the whole truth, and, worse luck for the unions, it got into the hands of several comic writers.

Hammerstein himself had quietly gone into the small towns near Philadelphia and had engaged a sufficient plastering force to come in by the day, either awheel, or on foot, or on the street cars. Then, returning to New York, he passed the word to his agents, and these spent one-way fares and a little more to enable a whole regiment of loafers to go to the Philadelphia station and meet the energetic union agents as "plasterers" of the honest-to-Gawd Gompers variety.

STRIDES ON ACQUEDUCT.

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taxed the patience of your honorable body severely, but it was felt that better and more economic progress could be made with all the accessories in the completed state in which they now are, than to begin in a condition of unpreparedness and run the risk of impeding the work later. The nature and extent of this work is exhaustively dwelt on and minutely described in this report, and we feel confident that the progress on the actual building of the aqueduct in the near future will fully justify the great expense incurred in this preparatory work.

"Included in the report is not alone a description of the work so far accomplished, but a prospectus of the plan of action for the coming fiscal year, together with an estimate of its cost, for the guidance of the financial end of the proposition. It will be seen that an effort is made to make construction accord with our financial ability, and due consideration was also given to the capacity of the cement plant to produce material for the work outlined.

CONFUSION DISAPPEARING.

"The confusion attendant upon the building up of an efficient organization to properly carry on this great project is now rapidly disappearing, and all the departments are moving with less friction and greater efficiency than at first, as the men become accustomed to their several duties. Most of the employés, and especially those in executive charge of work, have evinced a most commendable spirit of interest, not alone in connection with their several duties, but in the larger aspect of the project itself. It is pleasing to be able to report that this is the result of natural enthusiasm, rather than through any action of the superior officers to encourage such a feeling. In fact, it is to be regretted that those in the upper class of executive charge have had very little time for semi-social contact with their co-laborers in the lesser positions.

"So far as the work has progressed, there has been everything to encourage the belief that it will be ultimately completed within the time and cost originally estimated."

CONSTRUCTION ESTIMATE.

The estimate of construction to be accomplished during the next year, as reported by Mulholland, shows that 291,640 lineal feet of work is provided for. It includes much of the most difficult work in the whole project and the accomplishment of the quantity in the time specified will be a tremendous gain in approaching the final completion of the whole system. It means that, if the work laid out for the coming twelve months is completed, the whole scheme will be easily completed in four years, the approximate time fixed.

According to these estimates, 59,658 lineal feet of the big task will be excavated and lined tunnels, 36,140 lineal feet excavated tunnels and 195,842 feet excavated and lined conduit. This is distributed through eleven sections of the work. In the celebrated Jawbone division, the most difficult of the whole number, the tunnel work, aggregating 49,123 feet, is to cost $1,153,362, and is the largest cost of any single division.

COST FOR COMING YEAR.

The cost of the work for the next twelve months as given, follows:

Division 5—Owens Valley	$ 542,700
Division 6—Olancha	266,870
Division 7—Grapevine	857,063
Division 8—Freeman	133,444
Division 7-A—Jawbone	1,153,362
Division 9—Mojave	451,000
Division 9—Antelope Valley	201,200
Division 10—Elizabeth	356,300
Division 11—Saugus	167,000
Division 12—Cement plant	143,154
Administration and engineering	250,000
Owens Valley ranches	6,000
Total	$4,953,619

GIGANTIC PROGRESS.

In discussing the schedule of work and the cost, Mr. Mulholland says:

"The above progress, embracing as it does, about fifty-eight miles of aqueduct, much of which is the most difficult work on the project, may seem rather a large undertaking for a single year, but reasoning from our present rate of progress on similar work, its accomplishment is quite possible.

"The financial arrangements provide for $4,000,000 to be placed at the disposal of the aqueduct during the fiscal year, and as there is at present on hand the sum of $559,585, clear of all our obligations, making a total of $4,-559,585 available, it would seem to be the part of wisdom to apply it to the work rather than let it accumulate."

In his explanatory forecast for the next twelve months, Mulholland summarizes the work already done in each division and what it is proposed to do. In the Owens Valley division, power plant No. 1 is to be completed at a cost of $57,650, and its power is to be used to operate a second dredge, except any surplus, which will be connected with the Cottonwood plant and used wherever required. Power plant No. 1 has been in operation since last April, furnishing power for dredge No. 1.

PROGRESS OF DREDGE.

The progress made by this dredge is 4000 feet of excavated canal, of which more than one-half has been completed in the last two months because the dredge, in its first work, was in experimental state and encountered many interruptions through defects. But these difficulties have been overcome largely and the progress of the last two months may be representative of what it will be in future, and also that of dredge No. 2, as it was designed to remedy all the preliminary defects of No. 1.

On this division it was the intention to provide for only 700 second feet, but experience showed that this could be enlarged and the larger section, touching the saturated soil of the valley, will save loss by seepage and an accretion of twenty-five second feet of water. This added water will be a large gain during periods of low flow. To provide water for this dredge, a well has been bored and the installation of an air lift is expected to produce four to five second feet. It is the purpose to operate the dredge night and day during the summer months. A high power shovel is recommended for the Alabama hills. Its work will be followed closely by a construction gang.

HAIWEE RESERVOIR.

Work in the Olancha division conduit is to begin by April 1, working northerly from the Haiwee reservoir. It is largely easy, but a steam shovel may be required. The construction of the Haiwee reservoir is to begin in the spring, as the railroad is to be completed to this point by March 1, and will be able to transport material. A power shovel will be necessary. The dam there is to contain 530,000 c.-bic yards and one year is allowed for its completion. The small dam at the head of the reservoir will not be needed this year.

Rose Valley division, fifteen miles long, need not be undertaken until next year.

The Grapevine division is rough and expensive, containing many tunnels in hard rock. The railroad is completed to Siding 17, about the center of the division. The headings of the long tunnels may be opened March 1, and the concreting of the shorter ones should be in progress before the end of the year. Making eighty feet progress daily, the tunneling should accomplish 21,000 feet during the year. Two high-power shovels are needed for the open work and a water supply is yet to be developed.

Freeman division, twenty-one miles long, is cut and cover work of easy character. An electrical shovel is to be placed in commission March 1, and is expected to make 2000 feet progress monthly. The water problem is solved by the Sage Cañon pipe line.

JAWBONE DIVISION.

Jawbone division, 21.9 miles, construction work was begun in September, and has been mainly confined to preparatory road, power line and pipe lines and tunnels. At present, 3500 feet of the 42,650 feet of tunneling is done. Much of the tunnel work will be completed within the year. An electrical shovel will begin work January 1, and progress of sixty feet daily is expected, thus completing 18,000 feet of the 28,000 feet this year.

In the Mojave division a distinct financial gain was made in the conduit work, which is twenty-eight miles long. Two steam shovels and an Austin excavator are expected to give a progress of 6000 feet a month, and this will complete the work in two years. It was the original intention to leave this conduit uncovered because of the cost of covering, but the work has been done so economically that the conduit and cover will be under the estimate of cost for the open conduit.

Antelope division, on which little work is done, is to be built under the contract awarded yesterday. If the contract had not been awarded, the plan was to put a shovel on the open cut work and continue the work on the southerly end.

ELIZABETH TUNNEL.

Elizabeth division's principal work is the Elizabeth Lake tunnel, which is being driven at a present progress of 600 feet a month. This is to be increased. Already 1446 feet of tunnel have been driven at the north end and 2900 feet at the south end. Work of stripping for the dam of the Fairmount reservoir is already begun, and the building of the dam will begin early in the year, providing sufficient water for sluicing may be obtained, and built with a concrete core; if not, the dam will be of earth, fifty-five feet high, and will contain 723,862 cubic yards. It is estimated that the progress of construction, to begin March 1, will be 2000 yards daily.

Two working camps are in the Saugus division, which is very rough. It brings the water from San Francisquito Cañon to the Newhall tunnel, and the work is to be vigorously pushed during the year, whether done by the aqueduct forces or by contract. Twelve tunnel headings will be opened but it will not be necessary to do any of the open work this year.

FINED FOR MANSLAUGHTER.

WOODWARD, (Okla.) Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Snowden Bailey, a young farmer living near Fargo, was convicted today in the District Court at Arnett of manslaughter in the second degree and fined $750 and costs for killing his father-in-law, M. B. Adamson, near Fargo on June 11, 1907. Adamson was a wealthy cowman, who had objected to the marriage of his stepdaughter to Bailey. A quarrel between the two men followed the wedding and Bailey killed Adamson with his bride's revolver, a small 22-caliber weapon.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in South Africa.

South Africa within the last few years has gained more prominence, perhaps, than in all its past history. Its rich diamond mines have won for it an enviable reputation. Its native uprisings excite sympathy everywhere; while the Boer war, the effect of which will be felt for a long time to come was looked upon with mixed emotions, the world cheering or mourning, according to the interests involved. During these critical times, its commerce was crippled, supplies were scarce and only staple articles were shipped there. Among those were classed Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It was sent there in large quantities, as its reputation for usefulness and reliability had already been established. Mr. S. Schneider, of Koffayfontein, Orange River Colony, shows by the following letter that this medicine is still held in high esteem. He says: "I thank you for your good Cough Remedy. I used it for myself and three children when we had bad coughs and it helped us. Every family should keep it at hand."

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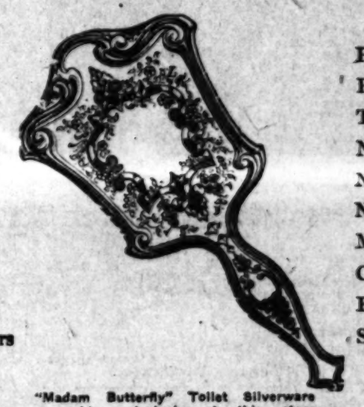

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Rev. L. A. Gould, formerly a missionary in China, a student of Chinese affairs and at present conducting a mission study class in Occidental College, also answered the remarks of Lea yesterday, particularly his assertion that "the awakening of China will sound the doom of Christianity, not Asiana in China, but in the world." Mr. Gould says:

"Mr. Lea is deeply versed in many phases of Chinese national history and life and a brilliant rhetorician, but he is not widely recognized as an authority on moral questions, ethnological trend, or religious progress.

"Mr. Lea's opinion is directly contrary to that of many eminent authorities, long resident in China, and thoroughly conversant with conditions prevailing there. He controverts Dr. A. H. Smith in 'China and America Today;' Dr. W. A. P. Martin in his work, 'The Awakening of China;' Colquhoun in his 'China in Transformation;' Weale in his 'Reshaping of the Far East;' such travelers as Isabella Bird Bishop; such statesmen as Sir Robert Hart; such Ambassadors as Mr. Conger, and even such Chinese Viceroys as Li Hung Chang, Chang Chih Tung and Yuan Shih Kai. Mr. Lea is an extremist, an avowed revolutionist, an exponent of iconoclastic views so extravagant, so ultra, that they fall by their own weight.

"The figures of Protestant growth in China during the last century are against the proposition of decadence. In 1807 the first missionary went to China. In 1842 there were six converts; in 1860, there were 960; in 1874, there were 12,000; in 1889, there were 37,000; in 1900, there were 113,000; in 1905, there are not less than 200,000 possibly 213,000, a growth of 100,000 in eight years. Our Roman Catholic friends claim 400,000 adherents. If this is decadence, blessed be decadence. Korea, too, gives promise of being the first Oriental nation to accept Christianity throughout its length and breadth.

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Rev. L. A. Gould, formerly a missionary in China, a student of Chinese affairs and at present conducting a Chinese study class in Occidental College, also answered the remarks of Lea yesterday, particularly his assertion that "the awakening of China will mean the doom of Christianity, not only in China, but in the world." Mr. Gould says:

"Mr. Lea is deeply versed in many lines of Chinese national history and is said a brilliant rhetorician, but he is not widely recognized as an authority on moral questions, ethnological data or religious progress.

"Mr. Lea's opinion is directly contrary to that of many eminent authorities, long resident in China, and thoroughly conversant with conditions prevailing there. He controverts Dr. A. H. Smith in "China and America Today;" Dr. W. A. P. Martin in his work, "The Awakening of China;" Colquhoun in his "China in Transformation;" Beale in his "Reshaping of the Far East;" such travelers as Isabella Bird Bishop; such statesmen as Sir Robert Hart; such Ambassadors as Mr. Conger, and even such Chinese Viceroys as Li Hung Chang, Chang Chih Tung and Yuan Shih Kai. Mr. Lea is an extremist, an avowed revolutionist, an exponent of iconoclastic views so extravagant, so ultra, that they fall by their own weight.

"The figures of Protestant growth in China during the last century are against the proposition of decadence. In 1807 the first missionary went to China. In 1842 there were six converts; in 1860, there were 960; in 1876, there were 13,000; in 1889, there were 113,000; in 1900, there were 115,000; in 1908, there are not less than 200,000 possibly 213,000, a growth of 100,000 in eight years. Our Roman Catholic friends claim 400,000 adherents. If this is decadence, blessed be decadence. Korea, too, gives promise of being the first Oriental nation to accept Christianity throughout its length and breadth.

ON THEIR LAST LEGS.

"Buddhism and Taoism and Hinduism would fairly seem to be decadent. Chang Chih Tung, China's greatest viceroy, in his "China's Only Hope," says: 'Buddhism and Taoism are decaying, and cannot long exist, whilst the western learning is flourishing and making progress every day. Buddhism is on its last legs, and Taoism is discouraged.

"The dark forebodings of China's future and the prediction that the awakening of the Orient will sound the doom of Christianity in the East and in the world must be classed as Oriental jingoism. The part of an alarmist is easy to play.

"China is not going to be divided. If any definite proof were needed it would be furnished by the recent note of confidence exchanged between the governments of Japan and the United States and the express stipulation for the protection of China's interests.

"There is no evidence whatever that the awakening of the Orient will witness the doom of Christianity in any Oriental country or in the world. There is every evidence of the decadence of all opposing systems in the Orient, and the triumph and establishment of Christianity. 'The stone that was cut out of the mountain without hands shall fill the whole earth.'"

Thomas C. Lowe,
alleged embezzling United States Express Company agent in New York, arrested here last night. He has been gambling at the Arcadia race track.

TRAILED.

HE'S WANTED IN NEW YORK.

Alleged Embezzler Captured in Local Cafe.

Admits Was "in Deep" and Cleared Out.

Has Been Gambling on the Arcadia Races.

With $9.25 in his pocket, after playing the races at Arcadia, Thomas C. Lowe, wanted for taking $450 and a travelers' check book from the United States Express Company in New York City, while agent at a substation, was captured here last night. He was well dressed and did not seem to be worried, saying that his family will "square things" for him as soon as he is taken back to New York.

Lowe has been in Los Angeles three weeks, and his arrest was accomplished through the efforts of the bonding company that had vouched for him. It supplied the information to the local police, who had been notified by the detective bureau of New York to make the arrest.

Detectives Chapman, Home and Zeigler located Lowe in the Imperial Cafe, where he had gone for supper, after an unsuccessful day at the race track.

When taken to headquarters, Lowe denied his identity, and said his name was Thomas Carl.

"That much of it is all right, but now add the last name," said Detective Kelly, who was interrogating he prisoner.

"Oh well, what's the use. You fellows have got me. The last name is Lowe," was his reply.

GAMBLING THE TROUBLE.

He admitted that he left New York two months ago because his accounts were short. When asked if he spent the money on a girl, he shook his head and said: "No, the trouble with me was gambling." Later he made a more lengthy statement about his downfall.

"To tell the truth, I don't know how much I am short. I was an agent for the United States Express Company in a substation, and I knew that I was in deep, so I cleared out. I came here three weeks ago, and that's all.

"Did you play the races at Arcadia?" he was asked.

"Yes, two or three times, but you can judge by what I had in my pockets whether I was successful. Most fellows who lose at the races say the game is crooked, but not me. I don't blame it on the crookedness of the game.

"The question was could I beat the game. Well I couldn't, and I want to say that I will take my hat off to the man who can.

"I don't think I am in so deep that my family can't get me out, when I get back," was his final remark. He refused to answer, when asked other questions about his family, and begged that his real name be kept from the public.

DENIES CHECK CHARGE.

Lowe denies the charge that he took a traveler's check book, which contained checks that might have been filled out for $15,000. The local police are investigating this phase of the charge, but have not found any evidence to bear it out.

The information supplied by the bonding company was that Lowe had gambled on results at eastern race tracks and was behind $450 in his accounts. After he left New York he was traced to Baltimore, then to Philadelphia and Chicago, and then to Los Angeles.

The New York police have been notified, and Lowe will be held here until an officer arrives. Lowe stated last night that he would fight any attempt to extradite him, but as he has no money to retain a lawyer, and says that he does not expect any help from his family until he reaches New York, the police do not think the statement was anything more than an attempt at a bluff.

WELCOME.

FRENCH TOAST FOR PRESIDENT.

OFFICERS OF VISITING CRUISER WINED AND DINED.

Members of Local Colony Gather at Downtown Restaurant to Greet Their Fellow Countrymen Attached to the Catinat, Now in the Harbor at San Pedro.

Lacking a boatswain's pipe the officers of the French cruiser Catinat, now at San Pedro, fell to on the dinner given them at Levy's last night by the committee of the Alliance Francais, to the sound of a bell. There were sixteen of them in all, headed by their commodore. The long horseshoe table was filled up with members of the committee which had charge of the affair, and members of the French colony in and about Los Angeles.

Commodore Buchard thanked his fellow-countrymen for the reception they had given the officers and men of his cruiser since its arrival in San Pedro harbor last Saturday morning, and drank to a continuation of their "prosperity in this their new and hospitable home across the seas from La Belle France." He said his visit here was largely to show them that the French government had not forgotten her citizens on the other side of the world, and had sent him here to show they were still remembered. He promised to take with him to Paris a report of their material prosperity and happiness in their adopted land, and ended by toasting the President of France and our own Theodore Roosevelt.

The guests of honor for the evening were M. Durand, French consular agent at Los Angeles, and Commodore Buchard. They were seated on either side of the toastmaster, M. Louis Sentous, Jr., president of the Committee of Arrangements and master of ceremonies.

The big room was draped with American flags and the tricolor, intertwined. Great masses of flowers littered the tables and were gathered here and there into mounds, shaped like a battleship with bristling barbettes of pinks.

The officers were in full dress uniform and marched as a body into the dining-room when the signal was given. Several masterpieces of the cook's art were served during the dinner, but none of them attracted so much attention as did the last—a "souffle d'orange a la Catinat," shaped like the cruiser that gave it its name, with turrets of candied cherries and guns of fruit glace.

The toastmaster introduced the commodore as the first of the night's talkers in short address. In part the latter said:

"Mr. Chairman, I desire to thank you and the other members of the French Alliance and French colony here for the greeting that has been extended to me and to my ship. It is delightful when one is in a distant land to find oneself surrounded by a number of sympathetic fellow-countrymen. You have welcomed not only the Catinat in particular, but the French navy in general in welcoming us. That welcome has gone right to the heart of myself and my fellow-officers.

"Gentlemen, I appreciate this reception. I am glad to tell you that your country remembers you, that I have been sent here to voice that memory, and that I shall report well of your happiness and prosperity on my return to France. I drink to the health of our President, M. Fallieres and to the health of yours, M. Theodore Roosevelt."

The commodore was followed by Mr. Durand, Mayor Walton of San Pedro, J. Auclair, secretary of the French Alliance, Commandant Leguerre, second in command on the cruiser, Dr. B. Sassella of Pasadena, Capt. M. Daset, formerly of the French navy, but now of Los Angeles, and Paul de Longpre, "the flower king." Other speakers were Edgar E. Lefebre, Ed Amar, Leon Loeb, Leon Curtet and Charles Hunt.

Commodore Buchard, who commands the Catinat, the flagship of the Pacific division of the French navy, has a long record in the service of his country.

The Catinat will leave San Pedro for Venice tomorrow morning and on Saturday will up anchor and sail for Mexican ports.

Family Not "So Much."

NEW YORK, Dec. 2.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Lowe comes from a very cheap family. He worked as an agent and was indicted for grand larceny.

Making Paving Blocks.

Consul H. W. Harris, in reporting from Nuremberg that a German firm at Wurzburg has recently placed on the market a patented artificial stone, called Vulkanol, for paving purposes, for which much is claimed, thus describes it: The stone is composed of crushed basalt or other similar rocks collected in part as refuse from quarries and mixed with a small per centage of cement. The mixture is subjected to heavy hydraulic pressure and formed into blocks of convenient size for paving. These blocks are then subjected to a process of burning under high temperature in specially prepared furnaces, which process continues for about twelve days. The blocks are then permitted to cool as slowly as possible.

Information Acquired.

"I have often heard," said the inquisitive foreigner, "of your—aw—'race issue.' May I awsk what a race issue is?"

"Why, cert. It's any sportin' paper," answered the native.

"Aw—thanks," rejoined the foreigner, jotting it down in his note book.—[Chicago Tribune.

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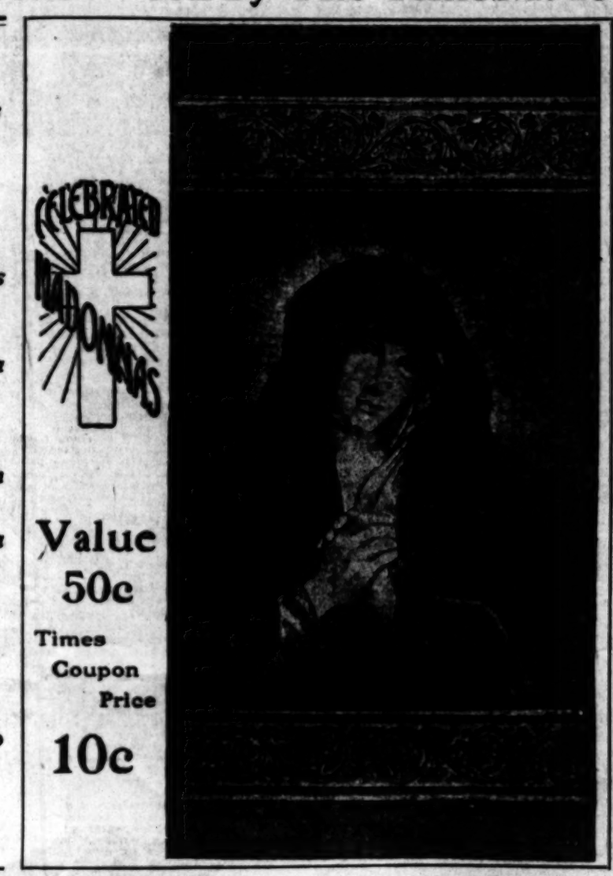

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PASADENA.

LIQUOR FIGHT TO CONTINUE.

ENERGIES DIRECTED TOWARD ANGELENO CONCERNS.

Crown City Temperance Workers Desire to Prevent Wholesale Houses Delivering Orders — Poisoned Food Mystery Grows—No Sunday Baseball to Be Played.

Office of The Times, No. 25 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Dec. 2.—C. V. Sturdevant, one of the best-known temperance workers of the city, has the backing of the Federation of Men's Clubs, the Ministerial Union, the Y.M.C.A. and the Prohibition Club in his work to bring about a change in the ordinance which will entirely stop the sale of liquor here. He is now drafting up a proposed amendment to the city charter which will go far, if adopted, toward doing away with the peddling of liquor by wagons representing Los Angeles wholesale houses, and the delivering of orders.

POISON MYSTERY.

Chief of Police Favour refuses to make public the result of the analysis of the food which caused the severe illness of Mrs. Lillian M. Vest and her children, Monday morning. It is understood that Prof. Gaylord of Throop Institute has completed the test of the food and that his report to the police department is more than significant.

MORE BLEACHERS.

It is expected that President Cary of the Tournament of Roses Association will complete arrangements today whereby work on at least one set of bleachers may be commenced at once. There is not sufficient cash in the treasury to guarantee the building of two additions at present.

NO SUNDAY BALL.

That the change in the schedule of the Winter Baseball League, allowing the Pasadena nine to play all its games away from home, has more meaning than appears on the surface, is believed among local fans. It is known that a leader in the anti-Sunday baseball fight approached Manager Dexter and offered him financial aid if he arranged for the games to be played in this city on Saturdays or holidays instead of Sunday.

It is now probable that when the Ipswich-street matter comes up before the City Council Tuesday morning, it will not vote to close the thoroughfare.

At a meeting of the directors of the Board of Trade yesterday afternoon it was decided to enter a four-in-hand in the Tournament of Roses parade on January 1. Members of the Merchants' Association will meet on the 16th inst. to discuss their entry.

ANOTHER GIFT.

President Scherer of Throop Institute says he has received another check for the use of Throop Institute but withholds the name of the donor by request. The first building of the new Throop College, on the California street campus, will be commenced in March.

PASADENA BREVITIES.

A private funeral service will be held at the parlor of the Ives Warren, Salisbury Company over the remains of Harry M. Hunter, who died night before last, at his home, No. 442 North El Molino avenue. He leaves a widow and two children.

Mrs. Harry Gray of South Grand avenue has issued 250 invitations for a dinner-dance to be given at Hotel Green on the evening of the 18th inst. in compliment to her niece, Miss Margaret Gray, who is spending the winter as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Gray.

B. F. Mansfield, head clerk in the west office of Hotel Green, arrived today from Washington, D. C.

Several members of the regular winter colony of Hotel Green have arrived. Among them are Mrs. S. F. Watson and her son, George Watson, of New York. Mrs. George H. Lincoln, a wealthy New York woman, is expected next week. She will be accompanied by her sister, Mrs. T. A. Holcomb of Eaton Rapids, Mich., and her nephew, Hallett West.

Members of the Presbyterian Men's Club are interested in the announcement that Prof. Harry Langford Wilson, the archeologist, who occupies the chair in that department of the Johns Hopkins University, will speak before the club Friday night on "Recent Discoveries in Ancient Rome."

Mrs. William F. Knight, who was thrown from an automobile Tuesday evening, recovered quickly from the shock, and is able to be about again.

Evanston Inn and cottages now open.

Artists' materials at Wadsworth's.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo and bungalows, Pasadena.

See Phelps for fine wall paper.

All cases of sciatica return from Arrowhead cured.

BITTEN BY MONKEY.

Burbank Boy Teases Animal and as Result Loses Part of Finger on One Hand.

BURBANK, Dec. 2.—Rupert Malone, aged 10 years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Malone, was bitten on the fourth finger by a monkey belonging to a traveling company, yesterday. He and other boys were teasing the animal. The finger was taken off at the second joint. Mr. Malone and the manager came to an agreement, the latter paying the doctor's bill.

The funeral of Austin Trueman was held yesterday afternoon, at the home of his father, James F. Trueman of Sixth street. For the past four years he had made his home at Randsburg, at which place he had mining interests. He returned home Wednesday last to spend Thanksgiving, and was suddenly taken ill, and died on Sunday. He had not been strong for the past two years, suffering from tuberculosis. He came to this country eighteen years ago from New Brunswick. He was 39 years old.

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GOLDEN WEDDING.

Glendale Couple Celebrate Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary—Cousin Reads Brother's Poem.

GLENDALE, Dec. 2.—Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Pyle celebrated their golden wedding on Thanksgiving Day. They were married in Denmark, Iowa, in 1858, and have six children, five sons and one daughter, all married but one son. Two of the sons still live in Iowa, the daughter in Eureka, Kan.

The home on Chestnut street, near Brand boulevard, was profusely decorated with palms, ferns, roses and chrysanthemums, yellow and green being the prevailing colors in honor of the day.

Mrs. Pyle, who is 69 years old, was gowned in white, and wore La France roses. The groom is 71 years old. Their only daughter, Mrs. Ella Christy, and her two children, from Eureka, Kan., and Mrs. Clara Keeney, a sister of Mr. Pyle from Topeka, were the only guests from a distance. C. G. Pyle and wife of Ocean Park, P. W. Pyle, wife and daughter of Pasadena, and J. C. Pyle of Los Angeles, were present. Mrs. Emma Gearhart, a cousin of Mrs. Pyle from Pasadena, with her daughters, and a few friends from Glendale, were the guests who assisted at the celebration. A pleasing feature was the reading of a poem received from land written by a brother of Mrs. Pyle, living in Washington, D. C. This was read by Mrs. Gearhart at the dinner.

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MUNICIPAL GAS IS DESIRED.

MERCHANTS INDORSE PROPOSAL FOR MUNICIPAL PLANT.

Sierra Madre Board of Trade Passes Resolutions in Favor of Bond Issue for Thirty Thousand Dollars—Campaign Committee of Leading Citizens Appointed.

SIERRA MADRE, Dec. 2.—The representative business men who compose the Board of Trade held a sort of ratification meeting last night to indorse the action taken by the Trustees in regard to calling a bond election for a municipal gas plant.

N. H. Hosmer, chairman of the board's Gas Committee, gave a full report of the long and earnest examination of the various gas projects. He described the efforts made to secure enough local capital to build a gas plant, and the failure to accomplish that end. He stated that the next thing to settle was whether to have a plant built and owned by outside capital or for the city to vote bonds for $30,000, the proceeds to be used for the erection and installation of a municipal manufactory. The report showed that in the opinion of the best available expert gas engineers the city could not lose a dollar by such a venture, as it is a well-known fact that a good gas plant is a paying proposition. Gas could be made at 65 cents or less per thousand cubic feet delivered to the consumer, and even with the price set at $1 per thousand this would net a good income to the city. A conservative estimate places the number of consumers as not less than 250 at the present time, with an increase of about 100 per year probable.

Convincing answers were made to many who asked questions in regard to cost of oil, operation, sinking fund and interest charges, showing that the committee had gone very fully into these matters and had taken them into account when asking for the $30,000 bond issue.

Mr. Hosmer closed his address by submitting a set of resolutions drawn up by the committee. These set forth that a gas plant is essential to the upbuilding of Sierra Madre as a city of homes and is necessary to place the city in the front rank as a residence town equipped with all modern conveniences; that it is well known that gas plants are invariably good-paying investments, with net returns running from 25 to 40 per cent.; that it would be a great loss to the city to have a plant installed by private capitalists located outside of Sierra Madre who will take all the revenue out of the city, to its great financial loss, and that the successful installation of a municipal gas plant will result in a considerable revenue being turned into the treasury, thus enabling the city to install or take over other public utilities whose income may not be adequate to meet the interest charges or running expenses, and will for all time to come be a source of revenue to reduce the general taxation.

In view of these facts it was resolved that the Board of Trade earnestly indorses the proposed bond issue and calls upon the taxpayers and voters to do all in their power to secure a vote favorable to the bond issue. It was further resolved that the president be instructed to appoint a committee to conduct a campaign of education to impress upon the citizens the advisability of establishing such a plant and of voting the bonds therefor. This committee is: C. W. Jones, chairman; A. S. Mead, W. S. Andrews, J. J. Graham, N. H. Hosmer, M. H. Bridle, C. S. Kersting, C. J. Pegler, J. A. Madden and C. F. Gray.

A. S. Mead stated that the committee of which he was chairman had met with gratifying success in securing signatures of those who would use gas, if a plant was installed.

M. H. Bridle spoke convincingly of the matter from the standpoint of a straight-out business proposition. He showed that all that was in reality required of the city was to guarantee the bonds, there being very little likelihood that the people would ever be taxed to support them, unless it was for the first year's interest.

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SOLDIERS' HOME.

SOLDIERS' HOME, Dec. 2.—General orders No. 38, just promulgated, contain the names of nine members "dropped from the rolls for failure to report within sixty days from the expiration of their furloughs, or for absence without leave for that period." The names are: William Ganse, George Myers, C. W. Myrick, J. W. Boulden, Charles A. Hill, J. R. Rule, Gilbert Smith, Emory Vine and John Ward.

Regular monthly meetings of the W. C.T.U., which have heretofore taken place in Memorial Hall, will be held hereafter in the rPotestant Chapel. Mrs. Thatcher and others spoke yesterday.

Dr. Torrey will address the veterans tomorrow at 10:15 o'clock p.m., in the Protestant Chapel.

Mrs. Lottie C. Sinnard, well known in musical circles in Los Angeles, has been appointed organist in the Home Chapel, vice Miss Wilson, resigned.

Eleanor Britton, late Co. C, Eighth California Infantry, admitted from Los Angeles in 1908, a native of Tennessee, died November 30, aged 72.

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POMONA TRUSTEES FAVORABLY RECEIVE PROPOSAL.

Board Also Takes Action Regarding City Hall Bonds—Building Permits for November Aggregate Forty-one Thousand Dollars—Olds Sells Orange Grove to Easterners.

POMONA, Dec. 2.—At the meeting of the Trustees yesterday afternoon, the general sentiment was in favor of securing a high-pressure water system for fire protection, according to plans submitted recently by the Board of Trade Committee. The Consolidated Water Company has agreed to build a complete system connecting with its water tunnel, covering the entire business section and as much of the residence portion as possible, if the City Council will bear the expense of the fire hydrants, approximately $20 each, pay a rental of 25 cents per hydrant for water and agree to continue the present rates for seven years from date. The proposed system will give a pressure of about 100 pounds to the square inch.

A resolution was passed declaring the $30,000 issue of City Hall bonds null and void. A committee of citizens requested the board to pass a resolution of intention in relation to the calling of a new election for a $50,000 bond issue, $30,000 to be devoted to the construction of a new City Hall and $20,000 to be used for the purchase of block 65 for a site. The report of Building Inspector Cowles for November states that permits to the amount of $41,000 were issued. The exchange of block 125 in the southeast part of the city for land at the northwest corner of White avenue and the Southern Pacific Railroad tracks was effected. The new city stables for which Ferdinand Davis has drawn architectural plans, will be located upon this latter property.

GROVE CHANGES HANDS.

B. L. Olds today sold his ten-acre orange grove on San Antonio avenue to J. Webb and son, recently from Syracuse, N. Y., stated consideration $17,000.

CHILD STUDY TALKS.

At the meeting of the Child Study Circle at the South Side kindergarten this afternoon, Mrs. George Miller presided and opened the programme with a discussion of the subject, "How Can We Secure Prompt Obedience?" Mrs. A. N. Harris had for her subject, "What Is Worth While Teaching Children at Home?" "Do We Consider the Laws of Heredity in the Training of Children?" was the subject discussed by Mrs. McKenzie, while Mrs. Lindsay considered "How Can We Teach Children to Be Orderly?" The programme ended with a discussion led by Mrs. Armstrong, the subject being "Should a Child Be Spoiled Because He is Sick?" Refreshments were served.

MEXICAN PROGRAMME.

The ladies of the travel section of the Pomona Ebell Club are arranging to entertain all the other sections at the home of Mrs. Frank D. Green on North Garey avenue, Monday afternoon. The subject will be "Mexico and Its People." Miss Effa Kelly will speak upon "Social Life and Customs in the Land of the Montezumas." Mrs. L. B. Tuller will read a paper upon "Aboriginal Races of Mexico Before the Spanish Conquest," and Mrs. W. B. Todd will give a paper upon "Mexican Foods and Drinks." Miss Stella Washburn will sing the Mexican national hymn.

Robert H. Orr will prepare plans and specifications for the new First Christian Church building, to be erected at the northwest corner of Main and Center streets.

CHRISTMAS VACATION.

The public schools will close for the Christmas vacation on December 18, so that the teachers may attend the county institute in Los Angeles during Christmas week. The schools will reopen on January 4.

The Trustees have received bids for a new fire auto-truck as follows: E. W. Davies, Rambler, $2385; Los Angeles Motor Car Company, $4100; Luitwieler Company, $5200; Eber N. Street, Northern Star, $1900; Auto Vehicle Company, by G. H. Miller, $2900, or bid for regular machine $2500. These have been taken under advisement.

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SAN PEDRO.

SAN PEDRO, Dec. 2.—The report of the custom house for November, issued today, shows the arrival at this port of 143 steamers and nine schooners, having a net tonnage of 92,963 and carrying in crews 4127 men. These vessels brought 40,038,000 feet of lumber, 20,152,000 shingles, 653,000 shakes, 4,329,000 laths, 48,338 ties, 10,627 posts, 3620 tons of grain, 804 tons of paper, 150 tons of flour, thirty-five tons of potatoes, 3524 tons of merchandise and 2792 passengers.

During the month 85,355 barrels of oil, 2347 tons of merchandise and 150 tons of sugar were exported and 2704 passengers departed.

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GLENDORA.

GLENDORA, Dec. 2.—The Woman's Club met at the operahouse yesterday afternoon. Papers were read by Mrs. F. D. Joy on "Puritanism in Milton's Day," and by Mrs. F. H. Lovell on "The Life of Milton." Mrs. W. F. Nye gave an account of the Venice convention.

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SANTA MONICA.

NON-RESIDENTS MUST PAY FEE.

SCHOOL BOARD DECIDES TO CHARGE OUTSIDERS.

Pupils from Surrounding Towns Who Attend Local High School Will Be Taxed Five Dollars Per Month—Merchants to Work for Reduced Lighting Rates.

SANTA MONICA, Dec. 2.—After having given free tuition to non-resident pupils of the High School of this district for about fifteen years, the Board of Education has decided that there is no reason why the taxpayers of this district should be called upon to bear this burden. At the meeting of the board last night it was voted to charge a tuition of $5 per month for each non-resident pupil. This will go into effect at the commencement of the next term in February. For the present the tuition will be but $2.50 per month, and there will be no charge at all until February. There are seventy-seven non-resident pupils, who come from Sawtelle, Ocean Park, Venice, Palms, Ballona, Machado and Playa del Rey. The pro rata expense to the district for these outside attendants is something more than $4000 per year.

SEEKS CO-OPERATION.

The Board of Trade has asked the Venice Chamber of Commerce and the Santa Monica Bay Chamber of Commerce to appoint committees to co-operate with a committee from the Santa Monica organization on the matter of gas and electric service and rates. It is the contention that the quality is not what it should be and that the rates are too high. These committees will also make an investigation into the railway problem, it being claimed that the charges for transporting oaggage to and from this beach are excessive. The main point of contention is that in surrendering its steam road to the trolley line the Southern Pacific cannot legally escape that clause of its charter which provides that each ticket entitles the holder to the transportation of his baggage. Under the present order of things no baggage is checked, and the express toll is about 75 cents for each trunk. The Santa Monica committee is composed of J. B. Smale, F. E. Bundy and C. A. Tegner.

FINAL INSPECTION.

Postal Inspector Knox of San Francisco and H. B. Hall, assistant superintendent of the salary and allowance division of the postal department, are coming to Santa Monica tomorrow for the purpose of making a final inspection of the city before submitting their report relative to the installation of the city delivery service here. It is presumed that the order for the new service will soon be issued, as the office has for three years been entitled to the convenience.

SANTA MONICA NOTES.

The Odd Fellows have chosen officers for the ensuing year as follows: A. J. Swift, noble grand; E. L. Brown, vice-grand; D. L. Sebring, secretary; J. W. Todd, treasurer; W. K. Cowan, trustee.

Harper Lake, a former resident of this city, is spending some days here. He recently returned from a tour of Europe.

S. D. Walden and family are here from Chicago and will remain during the winter, having taken the Tegner cottage on North Second street.

The public library had a circulation of 5922 volumes for the month of November. Of the aggregate circulation almost four-fifths consisted of fiction.

LONG BEACH.

EARLY VOTE ON LIQUOR PLAN.

CITY COUNCIL WILL ALLOW ELECTORS TO DECIDE.

Date Fixed for February Instead of Year from Now—Citizens Pack Chamber While Matter Is Discussed—Society Formed to Oppose Water Bonds Issue.

LONG BEACH, Dec. 2.—The City Council tonight met in special session and passed an ordinance calling a special election on February 15, for the purpose of voting on the question of granting licenses to sell liquors with meals at restaurants, boarding-houses and hotels in this city.

This result was only arrived at after an agitation of four days in which meetings were held and much denouncing of Councilmen was indulged in by both sides. The result is a compromise by which the advocates of the "Pasadena plan" were enabled to have their petition for a charter amendment acted upon.

Nearly three hundred citizens were packed like sardines in the chamber tonight when Mayor Windham called the Council to order, with a full board present. The Mayor addressed the lobby, advising calm deliberation and polite attention to speakers.

AMENDMENT CARRIES.

He introduced an ordinance in conformity with instructions of Council last Saturday fixing the election for December 7, 1909. Lane submitted an amendment fixing the date at February 15, and this was adopted by a vote of 4 to 3, Callahan, Dayman, Lane and McGrew voting for the amendment and Hoag, Robinson and Stearns against it.

Before the vote was taken a bystander raised the point of McGrew's eligibility as a Councilman, he having moved from his ward temporarily, for winter quarters in Alhambra, because of his health. Attorney Goudge said it was not competent for an outsider to raise the question of a Councilman's disability. Elected as a Councilman, he is such legally until removed by due process of law, and no legislative action is invalidated by reason of any technical effects.

McGrew explained that he had temporarily removed to Alhambra for the winter, but his business was here, and this was his home.

The Mayor held that McGrew was the sole judge and Council had no right to take any action as to his disability. Then, after learned opinions of a dozen attorneys as to when the amendment would be of legal effect, the ordinance as amended was read twice and laid over until Monday, when it will be finally adopted.

The Mayor, after a sarcastic reference to the "wild flurry" of the opposition and the newspaper criticism, said the Council had always intended a square deal but had insisted upon the right to check the petition before hastening action. Now the petition has been acted upon he hoped it would put an end to the threat to get even with the Council by defeating the municipal water bonds. That was a question which must carry or he predicted the people would be sorry in days to come.

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Mrs. M. A. Hoyt, mother of Mrs. B. M. Given, died suddenly this morning from an affection of the heart.

HOROSCOPE.

Thursday, December 3, 1908.

BY COZETTE.

The mighty shall be generous this day. Face well thy problem ere thou dost essay.

On this 338th day the sun is in benefic aspect with the moon.

Those in enterprises of any magnitude this day must call on all their power of management and will prosper most if they have a good grasp of all the details of their problem.

There will be a temptation to depend on others for the execution of plans. It will be wise to remember this.

Ask favors of superiors this day.

Travel for health.

Avoid disputes in the household on this day. The sign over the routine affairs is favorable for baking and anything connected with fowls.

Seek employment or increase of business.

Deal with magistrates or others having official power.

Changes and traveling are in an aspect for women with this birthday. The unmarried will probably get a surprising offer.

Men with this birthdate should have a prosperous year. They must, however, avoid social temptations that would tend to take their time from business. Those in employment will profit if they are prepared for a higher position that will demand special knowledge.

Children are born today under a rule that indicates cleverness and fortune. Girls will probably be somewhat unsettled in their attitude toward the future. Boys should be trained to steadfast and courageous application.

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THE WEATHER.

BRIEF REPORT.

FORECAST—For Los Angeles and vicinity: Cloudy, with occasional showers; fresh south winds. For San Francisco and vicinity: Occasional showers; fresh south winds.

Sunrise, 6:43; sunset, 4:44; moon sets 4:32 a.m. Saturday.

YESTERDAY—Maximum temperature, 64 deg.; minimum, 52 deg. Wind 5 a.m., northeast; velocity, 6 miles; 5 p.m., south; velocity, 9 miles. At midnight the temperature was 54 deg.; cloudy.

TODAY—At 2 a.m. the temperature was 52 deg.; cloudy.

Precipitation for twenty-four hours to 5 p.m. yesterday by Weather Bureau rain gauge, .89 inch; season to date, 4.06 inches; to same date last season, 1.19 inches; normal, 2.24 inches.

[The complete weather report, including comparative temperatures, will be found on page 15, Part I.]

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POINTS OF THE NEWS

IN TODAY'S ISSUE.

The City.

Wonderful activity at San Pedro harbor; all records in arrivals broken in the last week.

Women of many parts of the country make complaints as to the peculiar operations of Los Angeles concern that conducts "apron-making" establishment.

Commander of French warship at San Pedro enters serious complaint because of inability to get fresh water, at same time paying high compliment to harbor.

Volley ball, new game here, excites interest of girls of the Young Women's Christian Association, and merry battles are fought.

Plugging of soot disturbs residents of East Forty-eighth street, who appeal to Fire Commissioner for relief.

Chamber of Commerce starts campaign for [illegible]

Invalid daughter, seeking share of dead father's estate, makes serious charges against stepmother.

Young woman accused of smuggling opium in prison in City Jail almost escapes trial through technicality.

Railroad officials declare there will be no terminal rate for San Pedro.

Council fails to make changes in the fire limits.

Southern California.

Presentation of historic stage robbery will be feature of Tournament of Roses programme at Pasadena.

Two drunken sailors turn on gas in room in San Pedro hotel and are suffocated.

Colton Trustees reject advice of City Attorney in electrical energy contract fight.

Woman octogenarian, pioneer resident of Monrovia, dies.

San Bernardino Street Superintendent dismissed by order of Mayor.

Owing to chaotic condition of Charter Revision Committee's work, Long Beach Council defers action till City Attorney carefully studies instrument.

Authors go to Imperial Valley to find local color for stories.

El Centro merchants petition the Espee for night train service to Los Angeles.

Pacific Slope.

Two men said to be getting rich collecting funds in Seattle, ostensibly for widows and orphans of railway trainmen.

Bank clearings in Coast cities show large gains over last year.

Defendant who lost case wants rehearing since Justice Root resigned.

Woman who wanted to become engaged to every man she knew sent to insane asylum.

Cook county, Or., to have big rabbit drive.

School principal shocked in taking hold of wire fence charged with electricity by pupils.

Police seek clew to sender of poisons which killed Harry Boaz.

General Eastern.

Old man allowed by family to die on Dakota prairies, and body falls prey to wolves and coyotes.

John W. Gates goes into circus business to make money.

Moses C. Wetmore, Democratic treasurer, said to have used up in personal expenses his $1000 contribution to Bryan fund.

President-elect Taft will take no part in Ohio Senatorial fight.

Delegates at mining congress in Pittsburgh witness test explosions.

Margaret Illington announces that she has permanently left stage to enjoy domestic life.

Washington.

Protest of Southern California vegetable growers to increase of freight rates received by Interstate Commerce Commission.

Ways and Means Committee extends time on tariff hearing to December 19.

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Financial.

Fluctuations of stock market enable dealers to reap harvest of profits by quick turns.

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Timothy R. Palmer, Former President of Minnesota Life Insurance Company, Shoots Himself.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS NIGHT REPORT.]

ST. PAUL (Minn.) Dec. 3.—Timothy R. Palmer, who resigned last Friday as president of the Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head at his residence today. Mr. Palmer had been in ill health for the past year and at times he had been unable to attend to the duties of his position as president of the insurance company.

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